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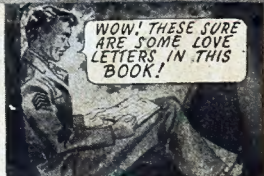


**BOY! IT'S SURE
EASY TO WRITE
LOVE LETTERS
NOW!**

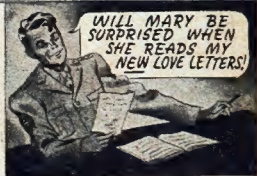


**I NEVER DID KNOW HOW
TO WRITE TO MY GIRL!**

**LOOK, SERG!
JUST READ THIS
BOOK - IT TELLS
YOU HOW!**



**WOW! THESE SURE
ARE SOME LOVE
LETTERS IN THIS
BOOK!**



**WILL MARY BE
SURPRISED WHEN
SHE READS MY
NEW LOVE LETTERS!**



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WONDERFUL. IT'S
THE MOST BEAUTIFUL
LOVE LETTER THAT
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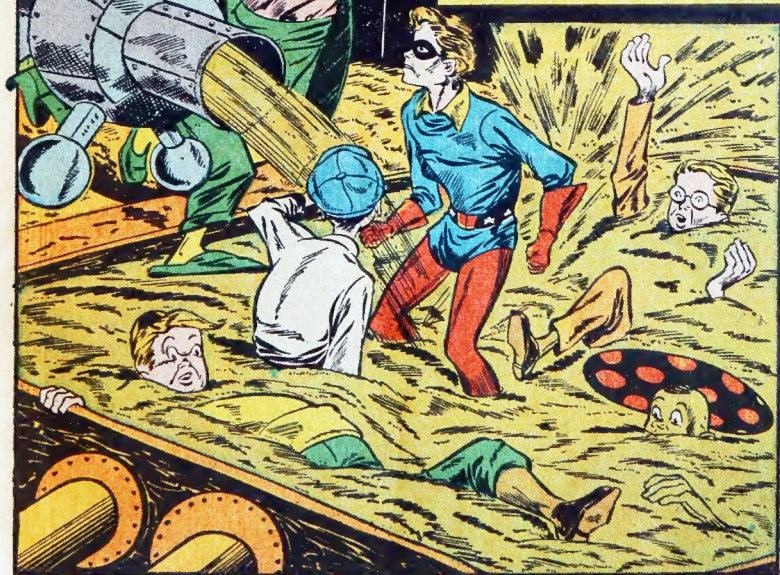
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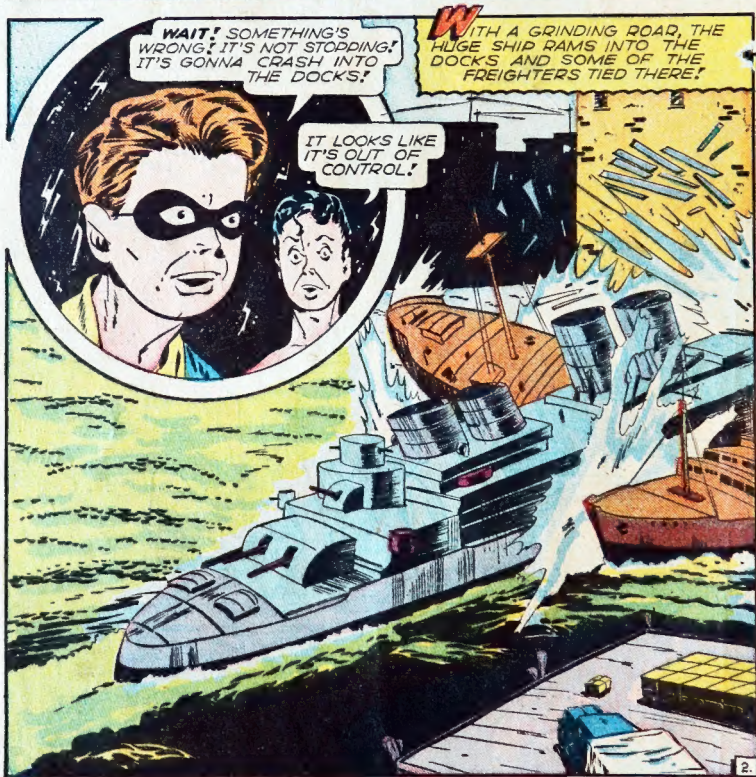
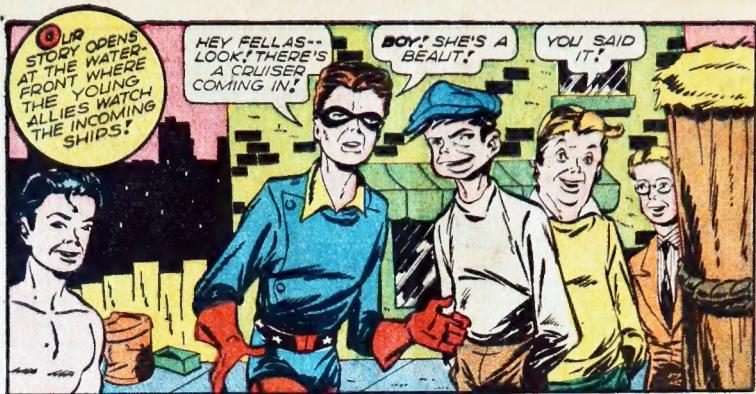
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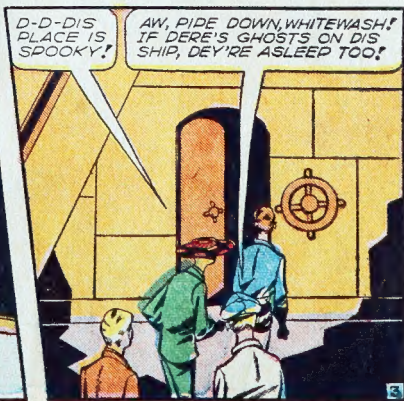
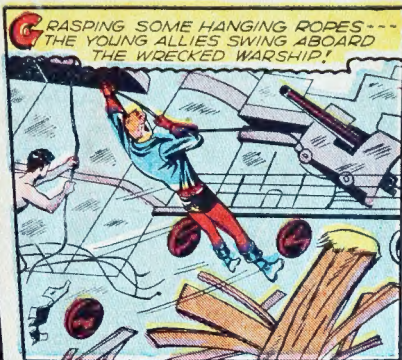
The **YOUNG ALLIES**

WHAT IS THE DREADED SLEEPING MALADY THAT STRIKES FROM NOWHERE? WATCH THE **YOUNG ALLIES** FIGHT THE HORRIBLE JAPANESE SANDMAN AND HIS TERRIBLE WEAPON... **SAND!** DEADLY SUFFOCATING SAND.... READ ON FOR THE ANSWERS, IN A THRILLING SMASHING STORY OF THE YOUNG ALLIES AGAINST...

'THE SCOURGE OF THE JAP'







SUDDENLY A DARK FIGURE LOOMS!

LOOK! WHO'S THAT?

UHP! WHO ARE YOU?

FOOLS! I AM THE JAPANESE SAND-MAN! I PUT THE CREW TO SLEEP, SO I CAN BLOW UP THE SHIP! -AND NOW I PUT YOU TO SLEEP!

NOT IF I GET A PUNCH IN FIRST!

UGH!

WOW! WOT A WALLOP!

HAH! THAT STOPS YOU!

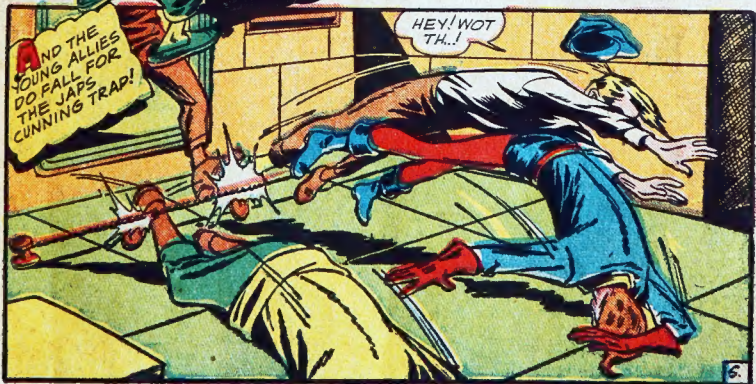
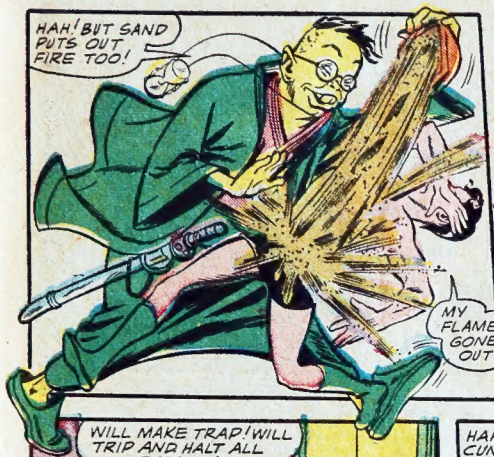
OOH! CAN'T SEE! TORO, USE YOUR FLAME!

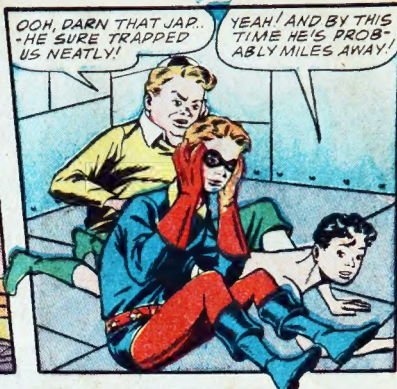
BUT THE CUNNING JAP RETALIATES BY THROWING SAND IN THE YOUNG ALLIES' EYES!

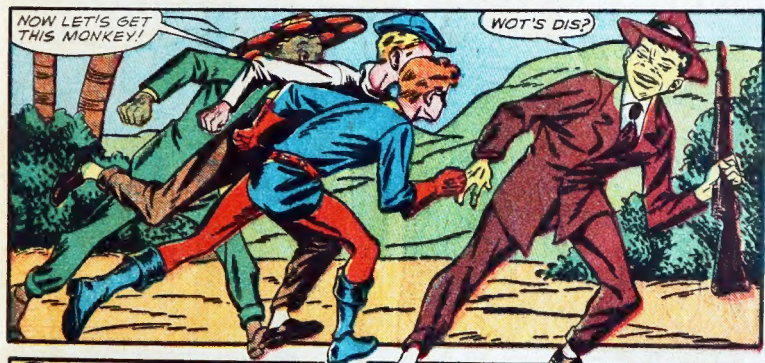
TORO USES HIS FLAME POWERS TO WHIP THE JAP WITH HIS LASH OF FIRE...

DANCE... JAPPY, -DANCE!

AGGH!







DISPOSING OF THE
GUARD KNUCKLES,
BUCKY AND WHITEWASH
CREEP INTO THE CAVE...

CAN'T WAIT ALL DAY FOR
THE OTHERS! LET'S GO
IN AND SCOUT AROUND!



BUT-MAN, IT SHO AM
DARK IN HERE... OOPS!



OW!

SHODDUP!
-SOMEONE
MIGHT HEAR
US!

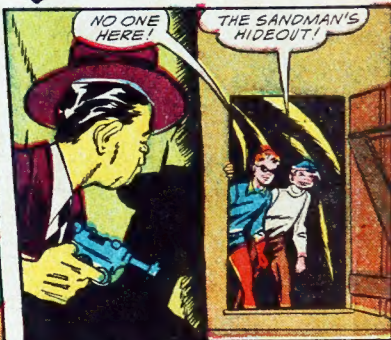


BUT THE DISTURBANCE COMES TO
THE EARS OF THE JAPANESE
SANDMAN AND HIS EVIL CREW!



NO ONE
HERE!

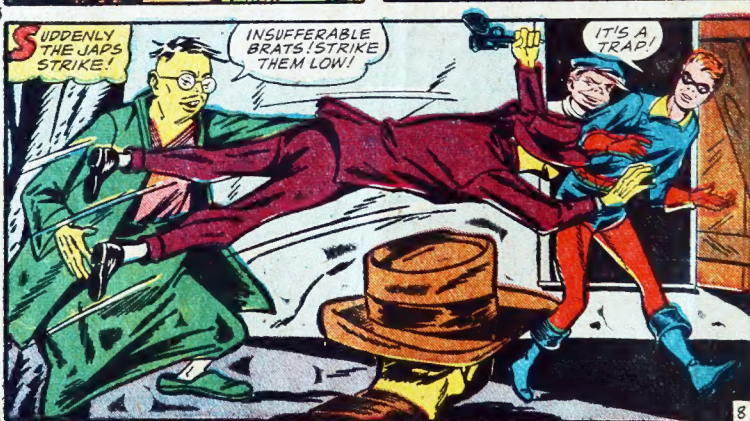
THE SANDMAN'S
HIDEOUT!

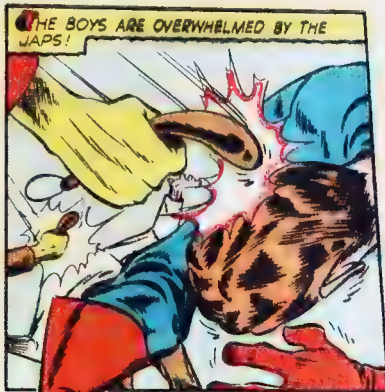


SUDDENLY
THE JAPS
STRIKE!

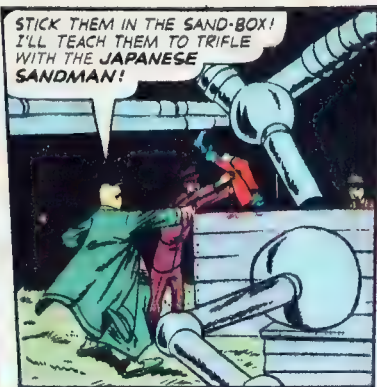
INSUFFERABLE
BRATS! STRIKE
THEM LOW!

IT'S A
TRAP!

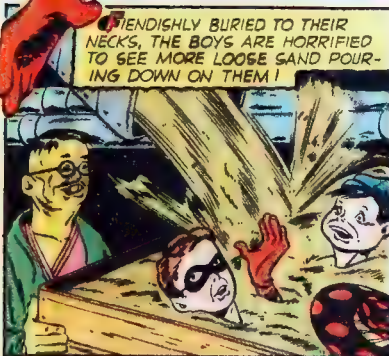




THE BOYS ARE OVERWHELMED BY THE JAPS!



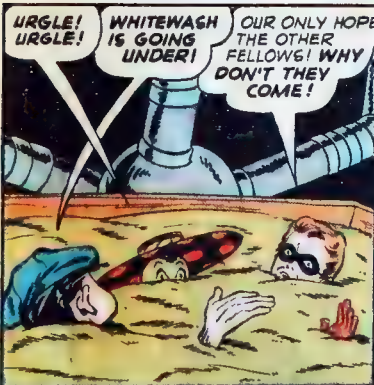
STICK THEM IN THE SAND-BOX! I'LL TEACH THEM TO TRIFLE WITH THE JAPANESE SANDMAN!



STENDISHLY BURIED TO THEIR NECKS, THE BOYS ARE HORRIFIED TO SEE MORE LOOSE SAND POURING DOWN ON THEM!



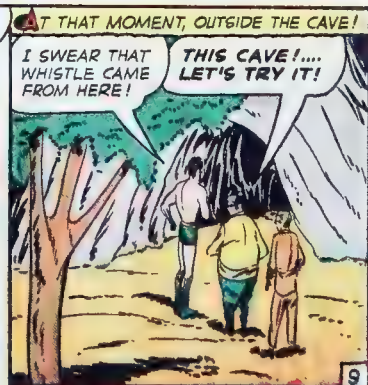
YOU CANNOT STOP MY PLANS! I'LL PUT MORE AMERICAN CREWS TO SLEEP, AND BLOW UP THEIR SHIPS! MISERABLE AMERICAN NAVY WILL BE WHIPPED BY THE SANDMAN!



URGLE! URGLE!

WHITWASH IS GOING UNDER!

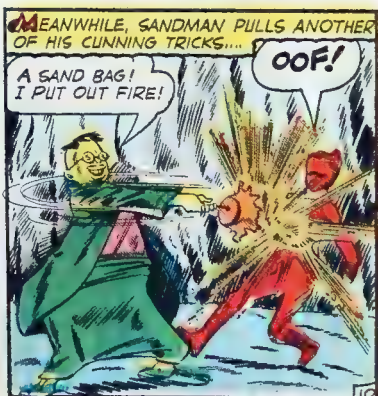
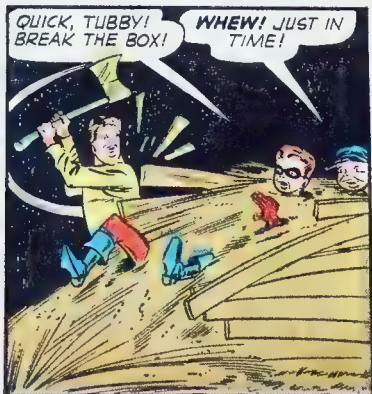
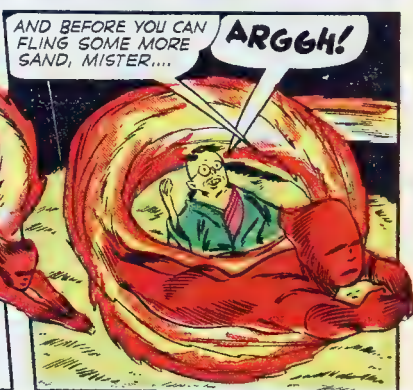
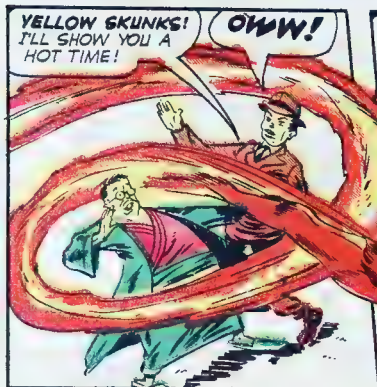
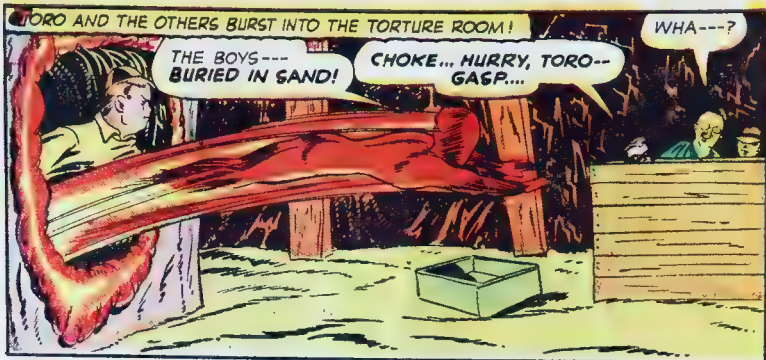
OUR ONLY HOPE... THE OTHER FELLOWS! WHY DON'T THEY COME!

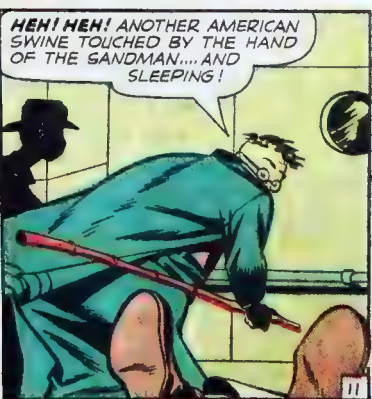
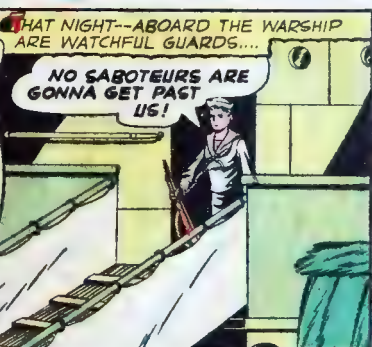
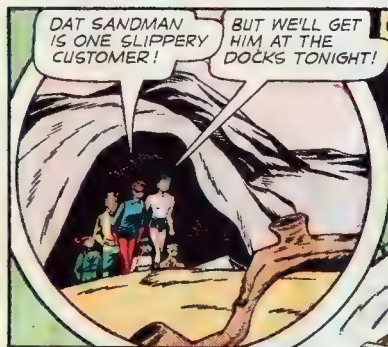
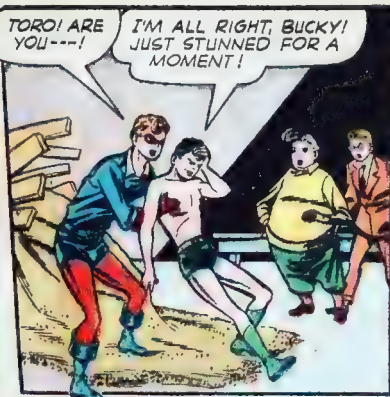


AT THAT MOMENT, OUTSIDE THE CAVE!

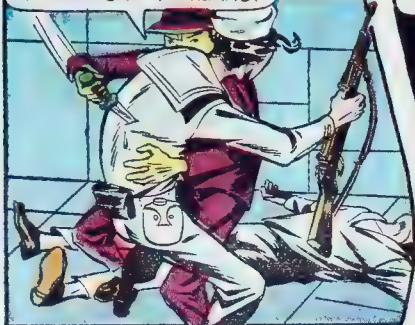
I SWEAR THAT WHISTLE CAME FROM HERE!

THIS CAVE!... LET'S TRY IT!

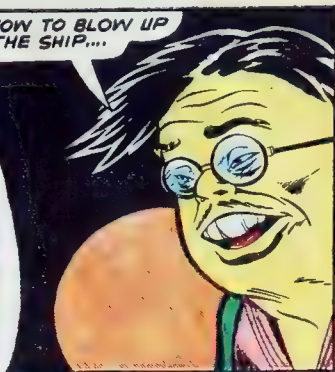




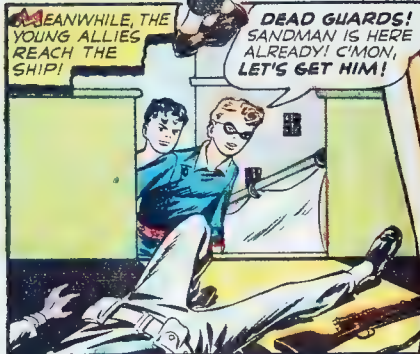
THE OTHER GUARDS ARE DISPOSED OF BY MORE BRUTAL MEANS!



NOW TO BLOW UP THE SHIP...



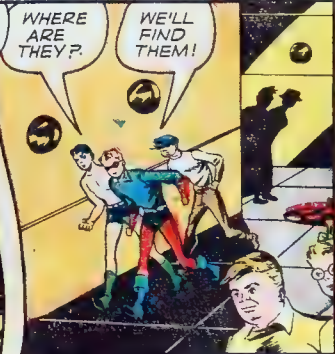
MEANWHILE, THE YOUNG ALLIES REACH THE SHIP!



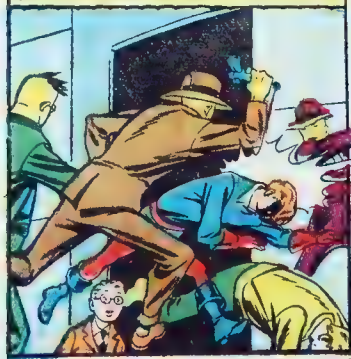
DEAD GUARDS! SANDMAN IS HERE ALREADY! C'MON, LET'S GET HIM!

WHERE ARE THEY?

WE'LL FIND THEM!



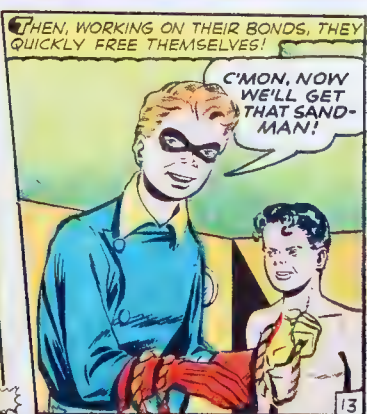
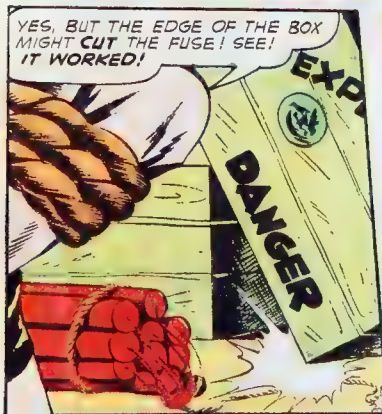
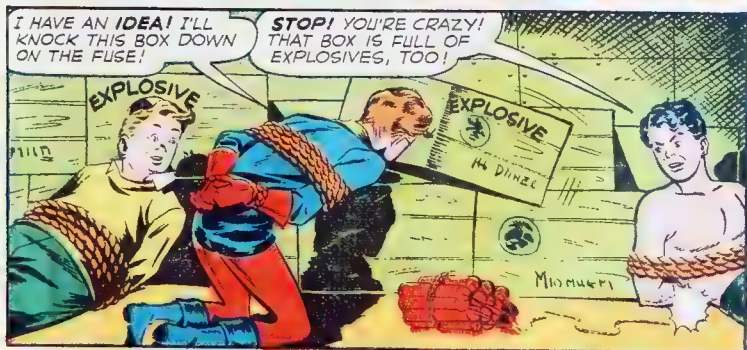
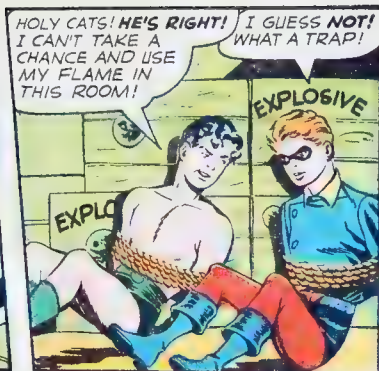
SUDDENLY THE YOUNG ALLIES GO DOWN UNDER A SURPRISE ATTACK!

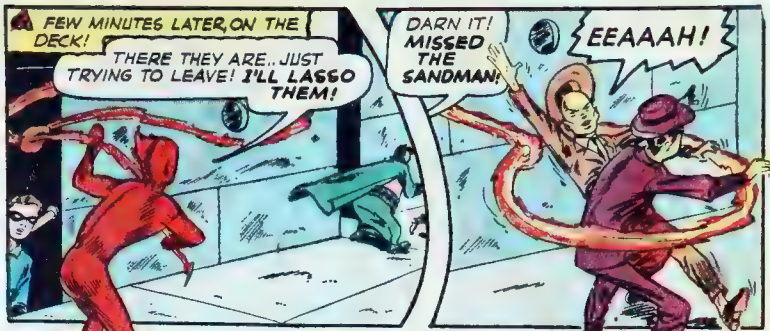


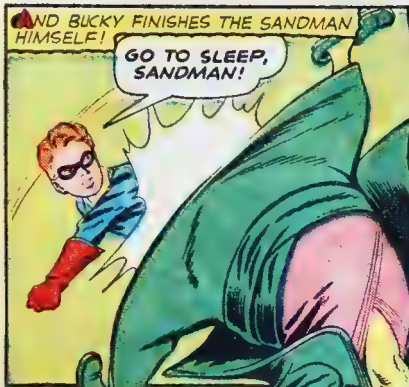
THE BOYS ARE CARRIED BELOW... AND...

YOU ARE GOING TO SLEEP..FOR ETERNITY! AND THE FIRE BOY DOESN'T DARE TURN ON HIS FLAME IN THIS ROOM! IT'S LOADED WITH EXPLOSIVES!









AND BUCKY FINISHES THE SANDMAN HIMSELF!

GO TO SLEEP, SANDMAN!



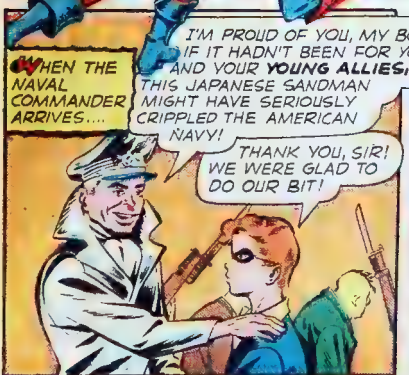
AND HERE'S SOME MORE!



AND THIS'LL TOP EVERYTHING OFF!



WELL, THAT PUTS THE JAPANESE SANDMAN TO SLEEP!



WHEN THE NAVAL COMMANDER ARRIVES....

I'M PROUD OF YOU, MY BOY!
IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR YOU
AND YOUR YOUNG ALLIES,
THIS JAPANESE SANDMAN
MIGHT HAVE SERIOUSLY
CRIPPLED THE AMERICAN
NAVY!

THANK YOU, SIR!
WE WERE GLAD TO
DO OUR BIT!



AND, SO, ANOTHER JOB WELL DONE, THE YOUNG ALLIES WALK INTO THE NIGHT... READY TO HELP THEIR COUNTRY AT ALL TIMES--WHEN IT IS IN DANGER!

The END

URGENT!

SENTINELS OF LIBERTY!

A VITAL MESSAGE from CAPTAIN AMERICA!



HELLO, KIDS!

YOU'RE IN THIS WAR EVEN THOUGH YOU DON'T CARRY A GUN, RIDE A TANK, A JEEP, OR PILOT A PLANE! YOU CAN DO YOUR PART IN WINNING THIS WAR BY JOINING THE WASTE PAPER DRIVE!

GATHER THE KIDS IN YOUR BLOCK... MAKE A HOUSE-TO-HOUSE CANVASS FOR PAPER... ANY OLD PAPER, MAGAZINES, BOXES, STORE BAGS, ENVELOPES, NEWS-PAPERS, CORRUGATED PAPER!

PAPER IS A WEAPON OF WAR! A MIGHTY WEAPON! EVERY GUN, BULLET... EVERY PIECE OF AMMUNITION USED TO SMASH THE UNHOLY JAPS AND NAZIS IS SHIPPED IN PAPER CONTAINERS! U.S. ARMY FIELD RATION "K" IS PACKED IN FOLDING CARTONS! AND MANY MANY OTHER THINGS, TOO! TO MAKE NEW PAPER WE MUST HAVE THE OLD! TO DAY PAPER IS NEEDED MORE THAN EVER! WAR CAUSES SHORTAGES... THERE IS A SHORTAGE OF PAPER... TO AN ALARMING DEGREE! SO... GET IN TOUCH WITH YOUR NEAREST LOCAL SALVAGE COMMITTEE, AND ASK THEM HOW YOU AND YOUR CHUMS CAN CONTRIBUTE TO THE WAR EFFORT...

DO IT NOW...THIS MINUTE!

BUCKY SHOWS YOU HOW TO PACK THIS PRECIOUS PAPER BEFORE TURNING IT OVER TO THE SALVAGE COMMITTEE!

THANKS, KIDS!

HOW TO SAVE
YOUR PAPER

FOR
EASY
HANDLING!

NEWSPAPERS...

FOLD THEM FLAT
AND TIE THEM IN
BUNDLES ABOUT
12 INCHES HIGH!



MAGAZINES...

TIE THEM IN
BUNDLES ABOUT
18 INCHES HIGH!



CARDBOARD BOXES
AND CARTONS...

FLATTEN THEM
OUT AND TIE THEM
IN BUNDLES ABOUT
12 INCHES HIGH!



WASTEBASKET
PAPER, WRAPPERS,
ENVELOPES, ETC.!

PACK DOWN IN A
BOX OR BAG SO
THAT IT CAN BE
CARRIED!



THE DESTROYER

IN THE WINGS OF DEATH

CONTINUING HIS GREAT WORK OF SABOTAGE WITHIN NAZI GERMANY, THE DESTROYER THIS TIME SEES TO IT THAT ALLIED BOMBS KEEP FALLING ON BERLIN---AND THAT GOERING'S NAME IS STILL MEYER!

THE MIGHTY AERIAL ARMADA OF THE ALLIES, EVER GROWING BIGGER, ONCE AGAIN POUNDS AT BERLIN, THE BLACK HEART OF NAZI DOMINATION!

MORE "EGGS" FOR YOU, HEINIES! BUT NOT THE KIND YOU CAN EAT!

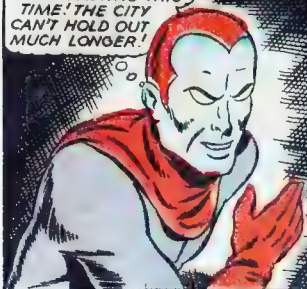
BELOW IN BERLIN, DESTRUCTION MOUNTS TO FANTASTIC HEIGHTS!

BOOM!
AHHH!



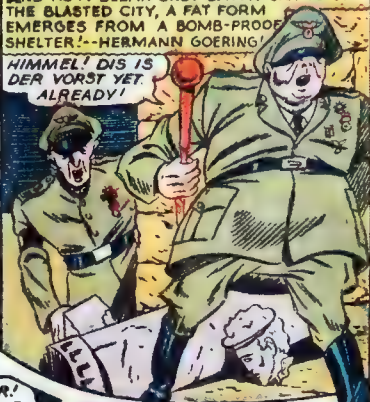
YOU WOULDN'T EXPECT TO SEE A SMILING FACE IN BERLIN THIS NIGHT--- BUT THERE IS ONE--- THAT OF THE DESTROYER!

BERLIN'S GETTING A ROYAL PASTING THIS TIME! THE CITY CAN'T HOLD OUT MUCH LONGER!



AND AS A BLEAK GREY DAWN LIGHTS UP THE BLASTED CITY, A FAT FORM EMERGES FROM A BOMB-PROOF SHELTER!--HERMANN GOERING!

HIMMEL! DIS IS DER VORST YET ALREADY!



LOOK! HERR GOERING!

NO---HIS NAME IS MEYER! REMEMBER?---HE SAID IF VUN BOMB DROPS ON BERLIN, HIS NAME IS MEYER!



SHOOT DOT VOMAN! JA!

AHHHH!



FUMING THE LUFTWAFFE CHIEF SUDDENLY SHAKES HIS FIST INTO THE SKY, WITH A STRANGE THREAT!

BUT THIS VASS DER LAST TIME DEY MAKE A FOOL OUT OF ME! NOW DER TABLES WILL BE TURNED! TOMORROW NOT A BOMB VILL FALL ON BERLIN! DER PEOPLE VILL STOP CALLING ME MEYER!

TO DER LABORATORY OF HERR DOCTOR SCHMALTZ!

WHAT'S THIS?

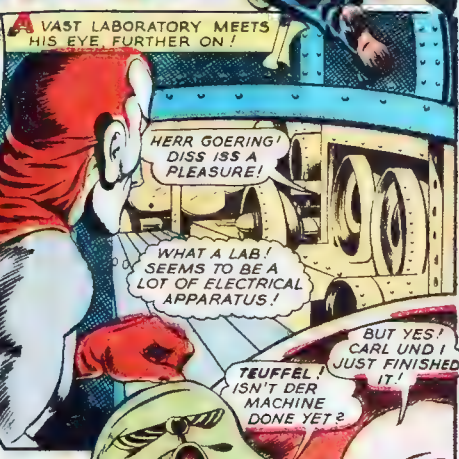
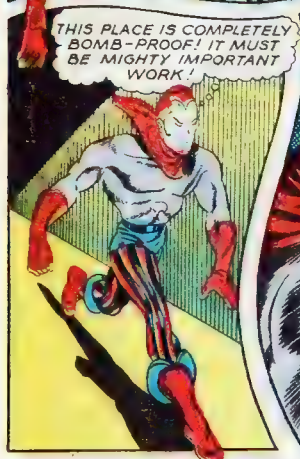
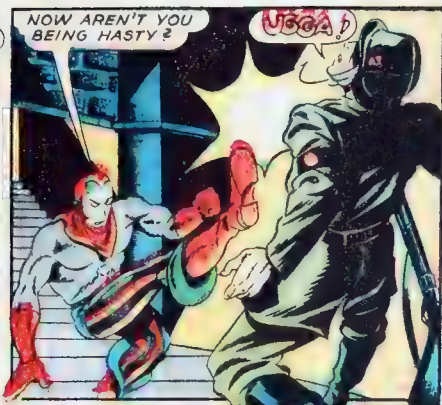
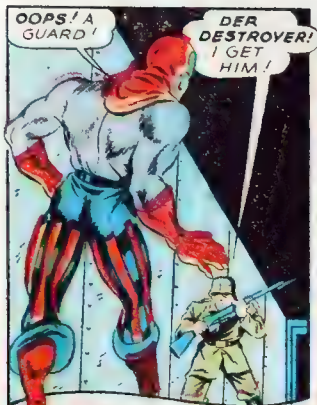
I'VE GOT TO SEE WHAT HE MEANS---NO MORE BOMBS WILL FALL ON BERLIN! HE'S GOT SOMETHING UP HIS SLEEVE!



THE CAR STOPS AND AN UNDERGROUND PASSAGE LEADS TO A SUNKEN LABORATORY!

WHATEVER'S DOWN THERE---I'M GOING TO FIND IT OUT!





DERE IT IS! IT
VILL STOP DER
BOMBINGS,
JA!

GOOT! DEN TONIGHT
NOT A BOMB VILL
DROP ON BERLIN---
LIKE I SAID IN DER
FIRST PLACE!

HA, HA, HO, HO! VOT
A GOOD CHOKE ON
DER ALLIES IT VILL BE!
NOT A SINGLE BOMB
VILL HIT BERLIN!

CARL! VE TUNE IT
UP NOW! FETCH
ME DER AMPERE
METERS!

I DON'T LIKE
THIS! HE'S
REALLY GOT
SOMETHING--
BUT WHAT?

JAWOHL,
HERR DOCTOR!

BUT AS THE ASSISTANT, CARL,
NEARS THE HIDING PLACE OF
DESTROYER ---

AH! THIS IS
A BREAK!

VOT
DER---?

UGH!

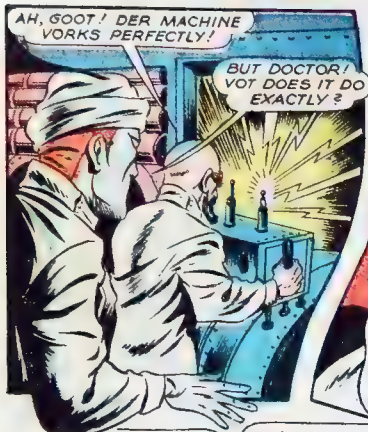
THE LESS SOUND
OUT OF YOU, THE
BETTER,
PAL!

TAKING CARL'S
PLACE, I CAN
FIND OUT
WHAT THAT
MACHINE OF
DR SCHMALTZ'S
DOES!

DID I HEAR
A NOISE
BEFORE,
CARL?

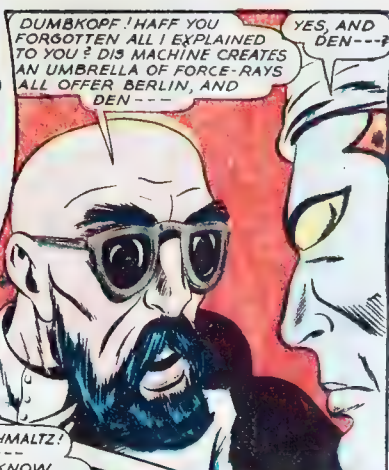
I--UM--JUST STUBBED
MY TOE, HERR DOCTOR!

WHEW! GOOD THING
HE IS SO NEAR--
SIGHTED! I LOOK
LIKE CARL TO
HIM!



AH, GOOT! DER MACHINE
VORKS PERFECTLY!

BUT DOCTOR!
VOT DOES IT DO
EXACTLY?



DUMBKOPF! HAFF YOU
FORGOTTEN ALL I EXPLAINED
TO YOU? DIS MACHINE CREATES
AN UMBRELLA OF FORCE-RAYS
ALL OFFER BERLIN, AND
DEN---

YES, AND
DEN---



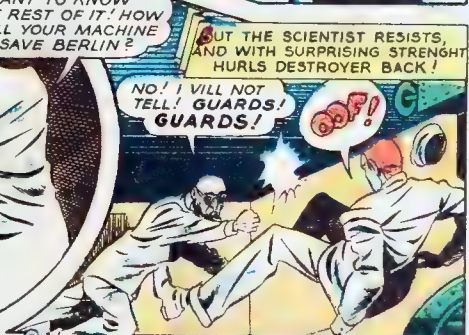
BUT YOU ARE
NOT CARL! HIMMEL--
YOU ARE DER
DESTROYER!

YES, HERR SCHMALTZ!
AND TALK---
I WANT TO KNOW
THE REST OF IT! HOW
WILL YOUR MACHINE
SAVE BERLIN?

BUT THE SCIENTIST RESISTS,
AND WITH SURPRISING STRENGTH
HURLS DESTROYER BACK!

NO! I WILL NOT
TELL! GUARDS!
GUARDS!

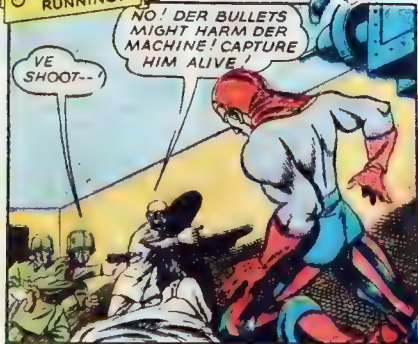
GOOF!



GUARDS COME
RUNNING!

NO! DER BULLETS
MIGHT HARM DER
MACHINE! CAPTURE
HIM ALIVE!

VE
SHOOT--



GUESS I'LL USE A
LITTLE OF YOUR
JAP PALS'S METHODS
---JU-JITSU!

WAIL!

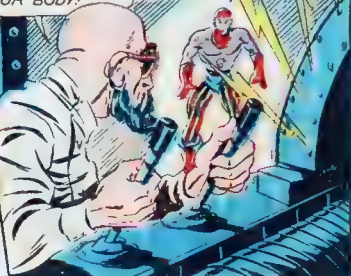




AS FOR YOU TWO---
SPLIT THIS BETWEEN
YOU!

STOP, FOOL! VUN MORE
MOVE UND I PULL DIS
SWITCH! IT VILL SEND
A MILLION VOLTS OF
ELECTRICITY THROUGH
YOUR BODY!

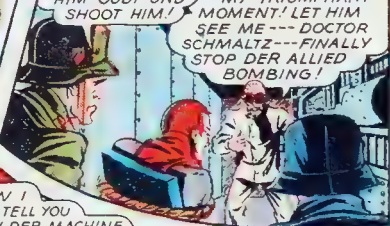
BOSS!
I DON'T THINK
HE'S BLUFFING
EITHER!



THE DESTROYER IS MADE CAPTIVE!

WE SHOULD TAKE
HIM OUDT UND
SHOOT HIM!

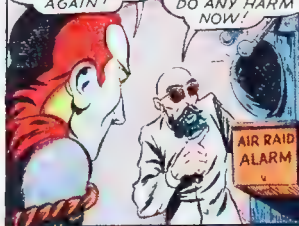
NO! LET HIM WATCH
MY TRIUMPHANT
MOMENT! LET HIM
SEE ME--- DOCTOR
SCHMALTZ--- FINALLY
STOP DER ALLIED
BOMBING!



THE NIGHT HOURS ARRIVE, AND---

AIR RAID ALARM!
THAT MEANS THE
ALLIED BOMBERS
ARE COMING
AGAIN!

JA! LET DEM
COME DER FOOLS!
NOT VUN BOMB
DEY DROP VILL
DO ANY HARM
NOW!

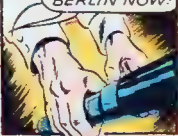


NOW I
VILL TELL YOU
HOW DER MACHINE
VORKS! IT VILL CREATE
AN UMBRELLA OF FORCE-
RAYS ALL OFFER BERLIN!
NODDING CAN GO PAST
DIS UMBRELLA OF FORCE!
IN FACT, DER BOMBS VILL
BOUNCE BACK UP--- AND
DESTROY DER
BOMBERS!

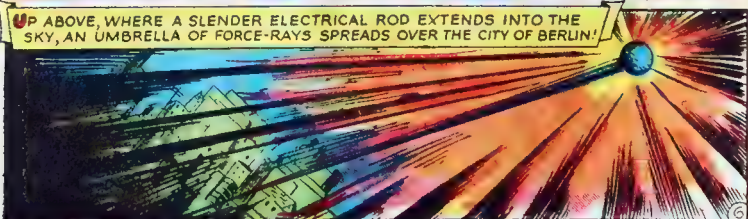


**THE SWITCH IS
CLOSED!**

HA-HA-HA!
NOT VUN BOMB
CAN TOUCH
BERLIN NOW!



**UP ABOVE, WHERE A SLENDER ELECTRICAL ROD EXTENDS INTO THE
SKY, AN UMBRELLA OF FORCE-RAYS SPREADS OVER THE CITY OF BERLIN!**



THE ALLIED BLOCK-BUSTERS HURTLE DOWN---BUT ONLY TO MEET THIS FANTASTIC FORCE AND BOUNCE BACK!



AND THE BOMBS RIP BACK INTO THE ALLIED BOMBERS THEMSELVES!

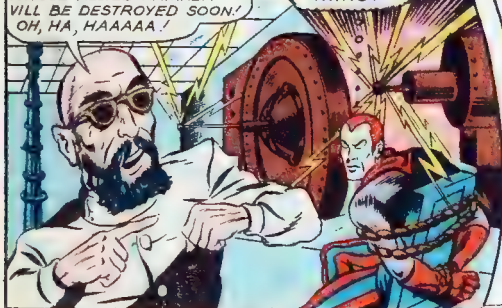


WHAT IN---? OUR BOMBS CAME BACK!

WE'RE GETTING RIPPED TO BITS! ---AGHHH!

HA-HA-HA! THE MORE BOMBS DEY DROP---THE MORE BOUNCE BACK! DER WHOLE ALLIED ARMADA VILL BE DESTROYED SOON! OH, HA, HAAAAA!

GOOD HEAVENS! IT'S---IT'S FIENDISH! AND I CAN'T DO A THING!



BUT FLYING SPARKS FROM THE MACHINE SET FIRE TO DESTROYER'S ROPES!

I'LL HAVE BURN-SCARS FROM THIS--- BUT IT'S WORTH IT--- I'M FREE!

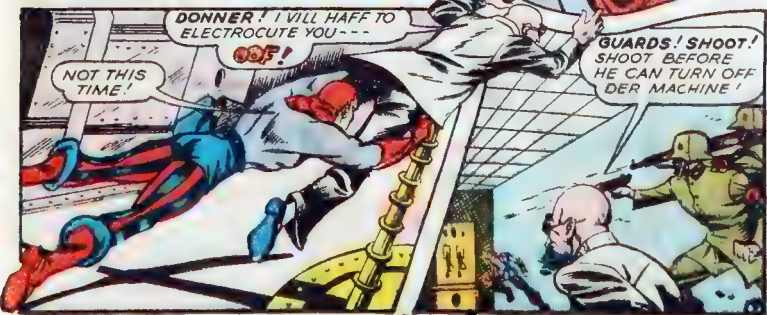


DONNER! I VILL HAFF TO ELECTROCUTE YOU---

OFF!

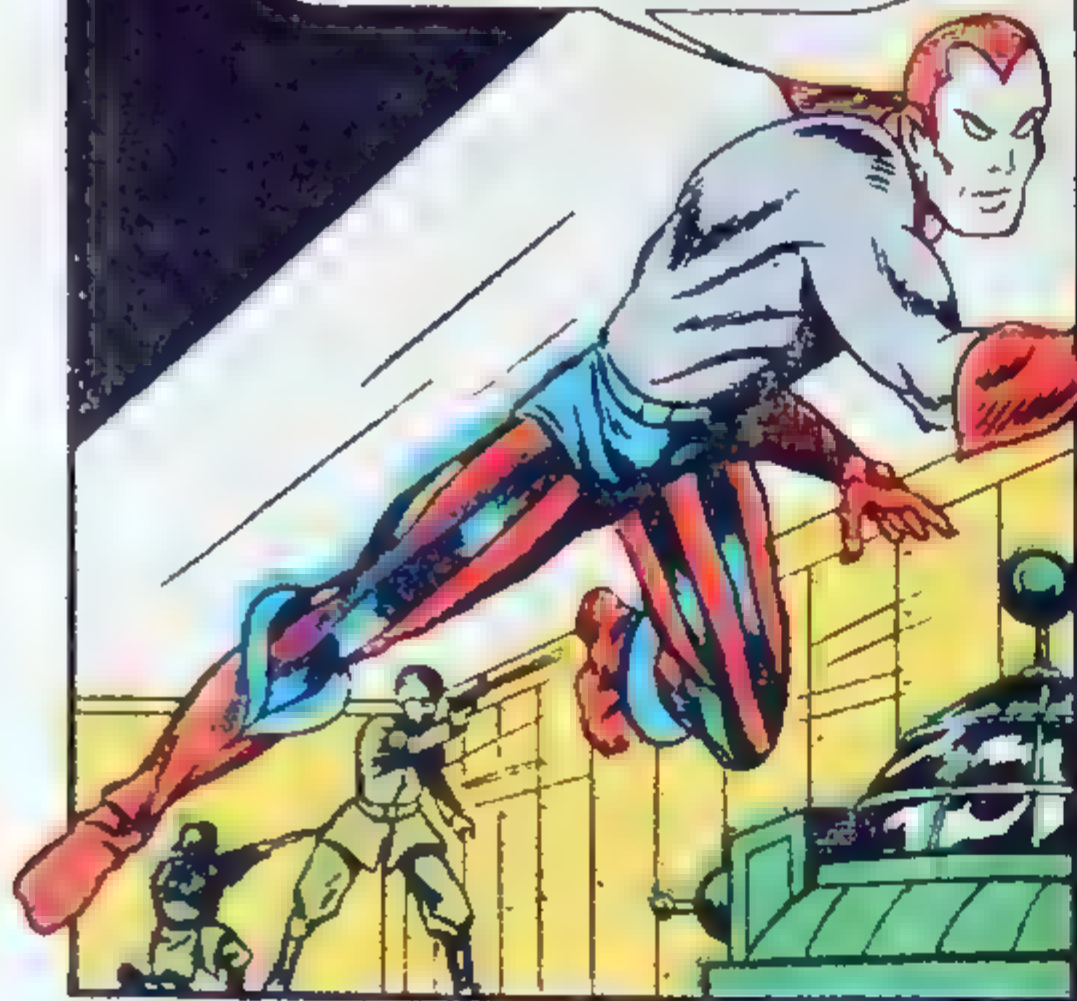
NOT THIS TIME!

GUARDS! SHOOT! SHOOT BEFORE HE CAN TURN OFF DER MACHINE!



IGNORING THE HAIL OF DEATH,
DESTROYER DASHES FOR THE
MAIN SWITCH!

CAN'T STOP NOW! GOT TO
TURN OFF THAT SWITCH!
GOT TO SAVE THOSE
ALLIED BOMBERS!



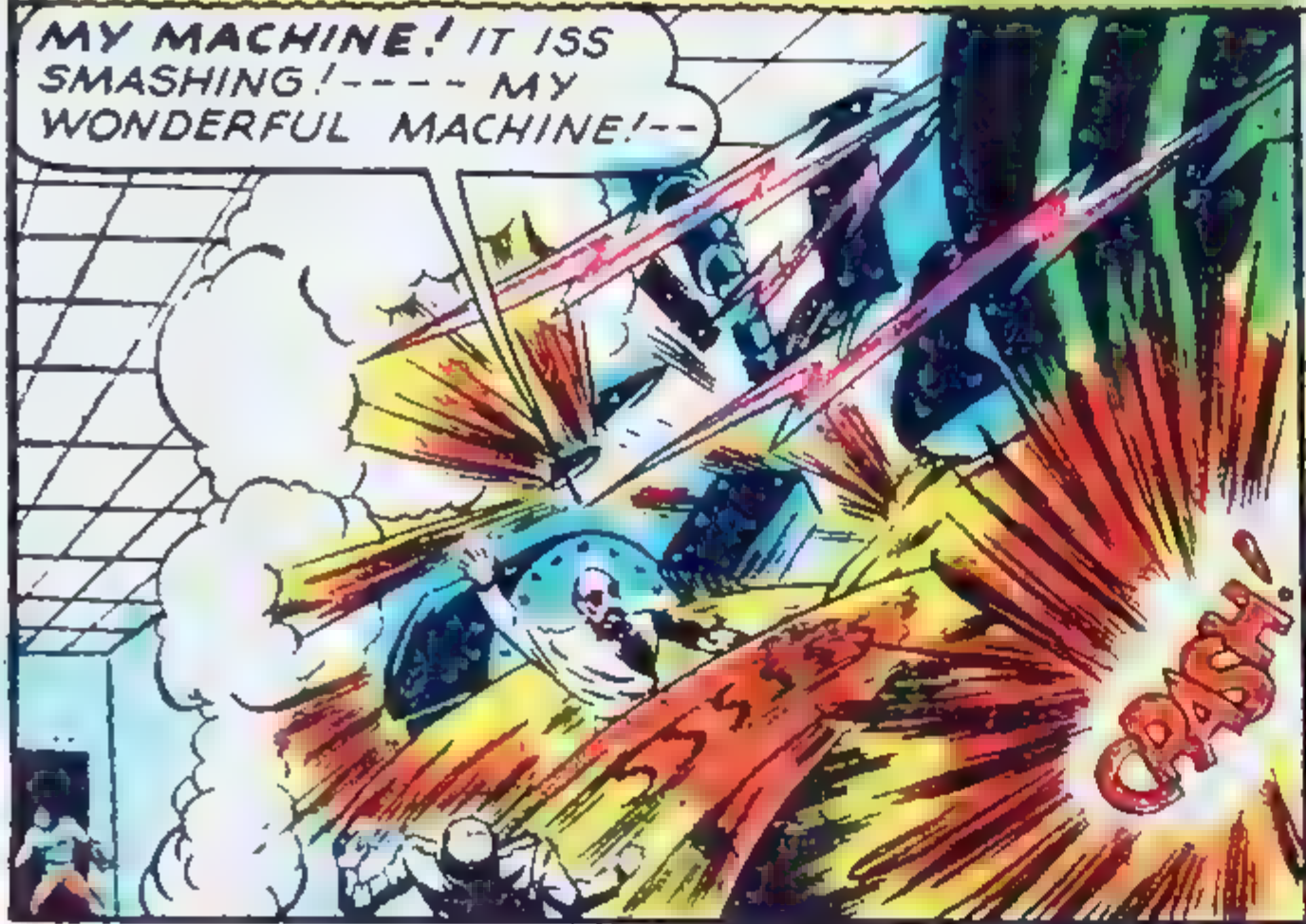
BUT WILD BULLETS CRASH INTO IT FIRST,
CREATING A TERRIFIC SHORT-CIRCUIT!

OOF!
NOW WHAT'LL
HAPPEN?

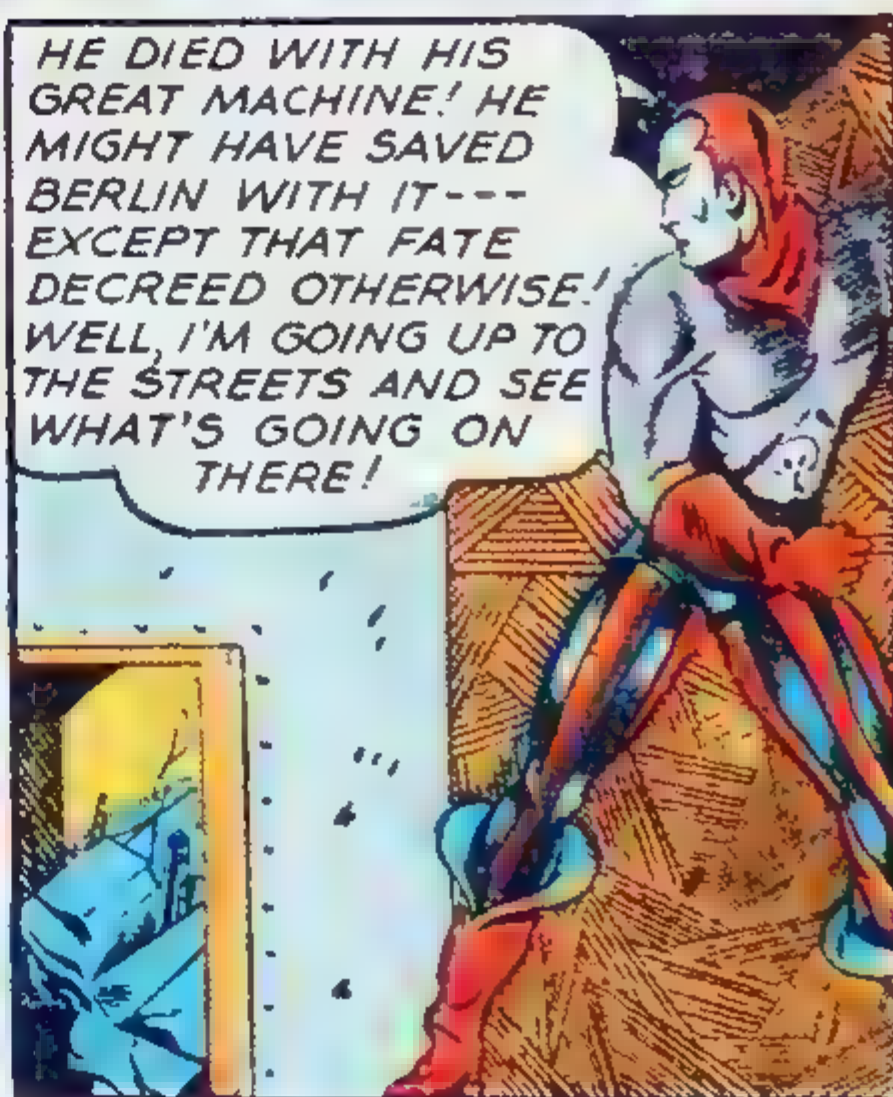


SHORT-CIRCUITED, THE GIANT MACHINE CRASHES
APART WITH A SERIES OF ELECTRICAL EXPLOSIONS!

MY MACHINE! IT ISS
SMASHING!----- MY
WONDERFUL MACHINE!---



HE DIED WITH HIS
GREAT MACHINE! HE
MIGHT HAVE SAVED
BERLIN WITH IT---
EXCEPT THAT FATE
DECREED OTHERWISE!
WELL, I'M GOING UP TO
THE STREETS AND SEE
WHAT'S GOING ON
THERE!



WITH THE STRANGE UMBRELLA OF FORCE GONE, THE
ALLIED BOMBS ONCE MORE RAIN DOWN ON BERLIN!

HERE'S
WHERE I
CAME IN!



AND I GUESS A
CERTAIN FAT GUY'S
NAME IS **STILL**
MEYER!

THE END

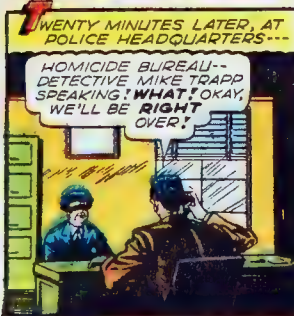
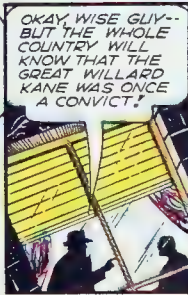
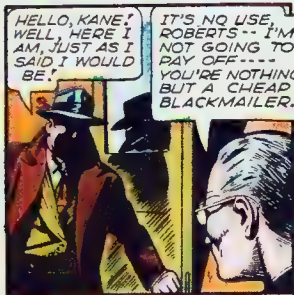


LET'S PLAY

DETECTIVE

STARRING DETECTIVE MIKE TRAPP • By Al Ballman

A SWEET CASE OF BLACKMAIL



A FEW MINUTES LATER!

TELL US WHAT HAPPENED!

I LEFT THE OFFICE BUT I RETURNED FOR MY HANDBAG!

I OVERHEARD AN ARGUMENT IN MR. KANE'S OFFICE --- MR. KANE WAS BEING BLACKMAILED BY A MAN HE CALLED, ROBERTS! --- I PEEKED THROUGH THE DOOR AND ---

I'M GOING TO THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY, ROBERTS!

WHY, YOU--

MR. KANE HAD HIS HAT AND COAT ON, AND WAS READY TO LEAVE WHEN ROBERTS PULLED A REVOLVER AND SHOT HIM --- I TRIED TO STOP HIM BUT HE PUSHED ME ASIDE AND RAN!

ROBERTS? WHY, THAT'S THE NAME OF KANE'S OLD BUSINESS PARTNER! RYAN, HAVE FRANK ROBERTS PICKED UP AND BROUGHT HERE!

OKAY! SO I WAS BLACKMAILING KANE, BUT I DIDN'T KILL HIM! WE ARGUED AND I LEFT WHEN I SAW THAT HE WOULDN'T PAY!

WHILE QUESTIONING ROBERTS, TRAPP GLANCES AT THE BODY-- AND ---

HMMM!

WHAT'S UP, MIKE? ANY CLUES?

YES, RYAN, AND IT POINTS TO KANE'S SECRETARY! ARREST DOROTHY KELLY AND BOOK HER ON SUSPICION FOR MURDER!

LATER--

I, Dorothy Kelly, confess to the murder of Willard Kane! After months of planning, my chance came when I overheard the argument between Kane and Roberts --- Shooting Kane and blaming Roberts seemed easy --- Why did I kill him? Kane was paroled for a murder he said he committed in self-defense! The man he murdered was my father --- Dorothy Kelly

OKAY, MIKE, HOW DID YOU KNOW KANE'S SECRETARY WAS GUILTY?

I KNEW SHE WAS LYING! THE BULLET HOLE WAS ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE HAT-- AND KANE WAS SHOT THRU THE LEFT TEMPLE! SHE SHOT HIM AS HE WAS SITTING IN A CHAIR AND THEN TO ESTABLISH HER ALIBI, FIRED A SECOND BULLET THRU HIS HAT!

TURN PAGE FOR SOLUTION

JEEP JONES

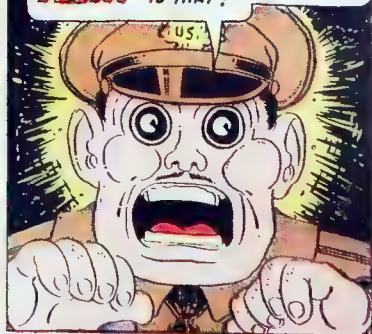
AND THE
"INVISIBLE JEEP"

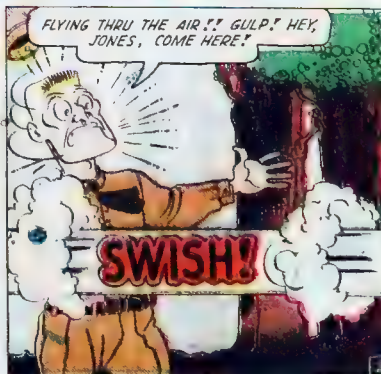
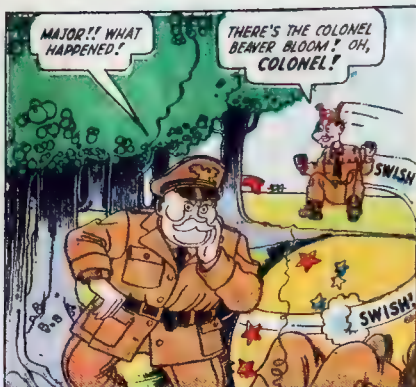


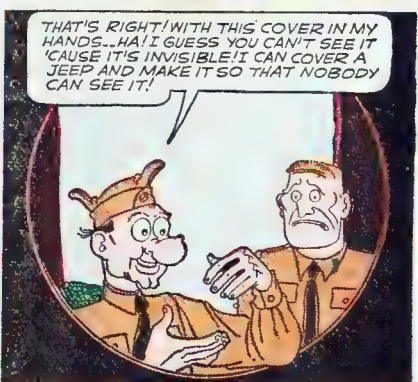
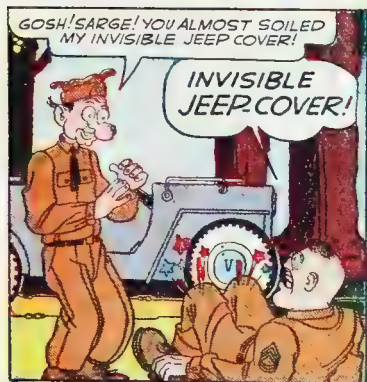
WHEW! IT CERTAINLY IS HOT TODAY! HEAT LIKE THIS CAN DRIVE A MAN MAD!

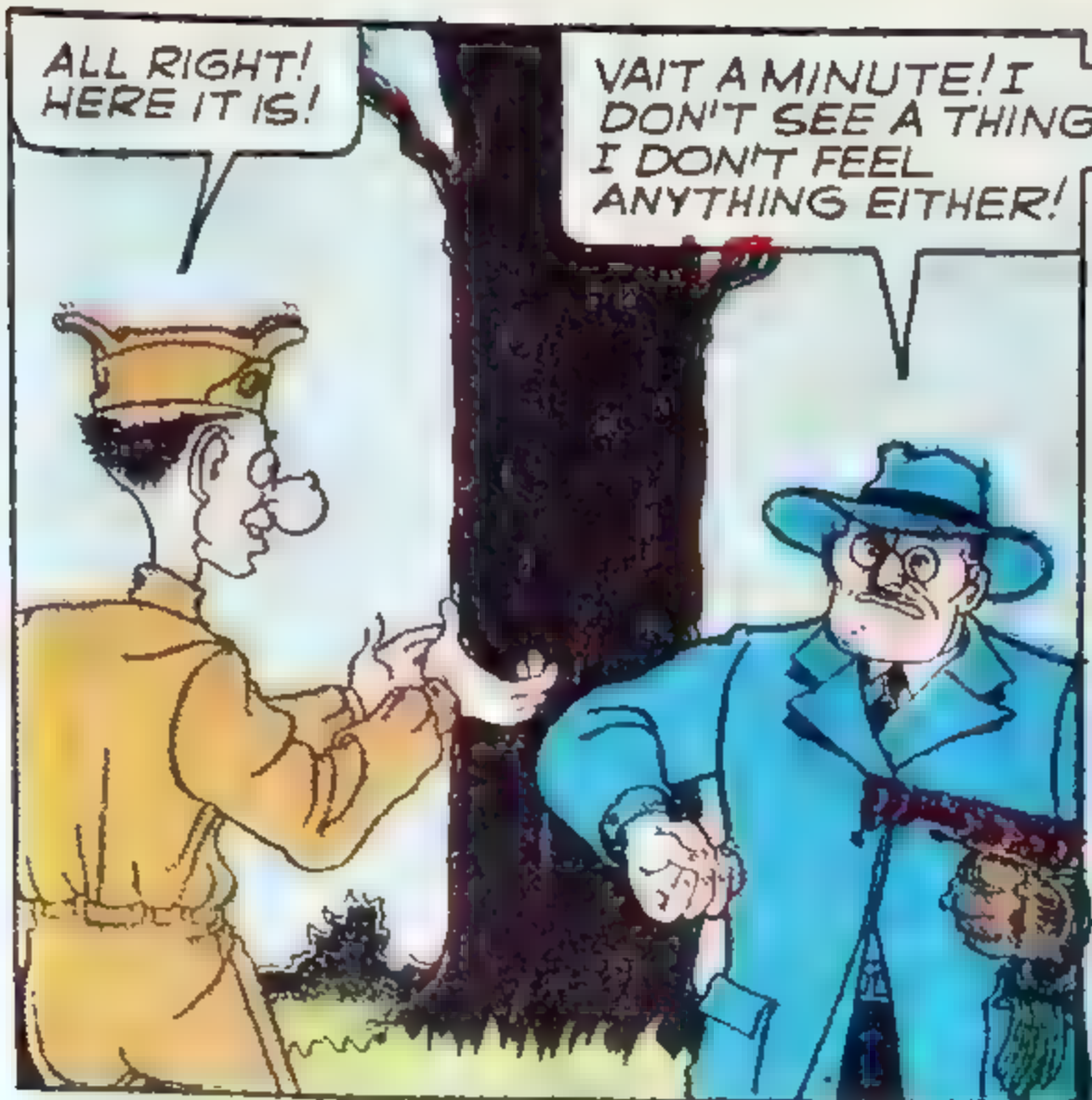


YEDDY! I AM GOING MAD! WHAT IS THAT?



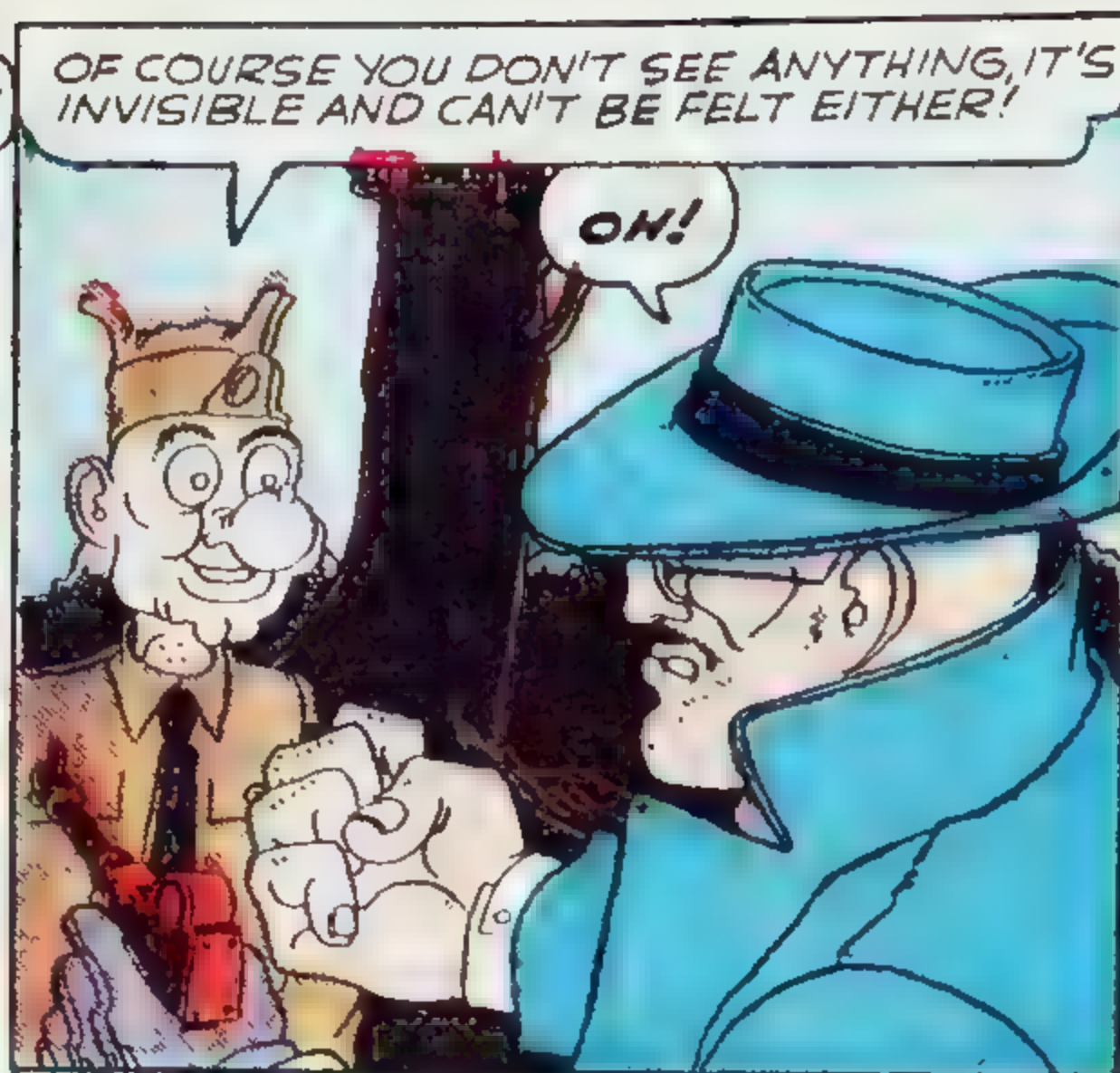






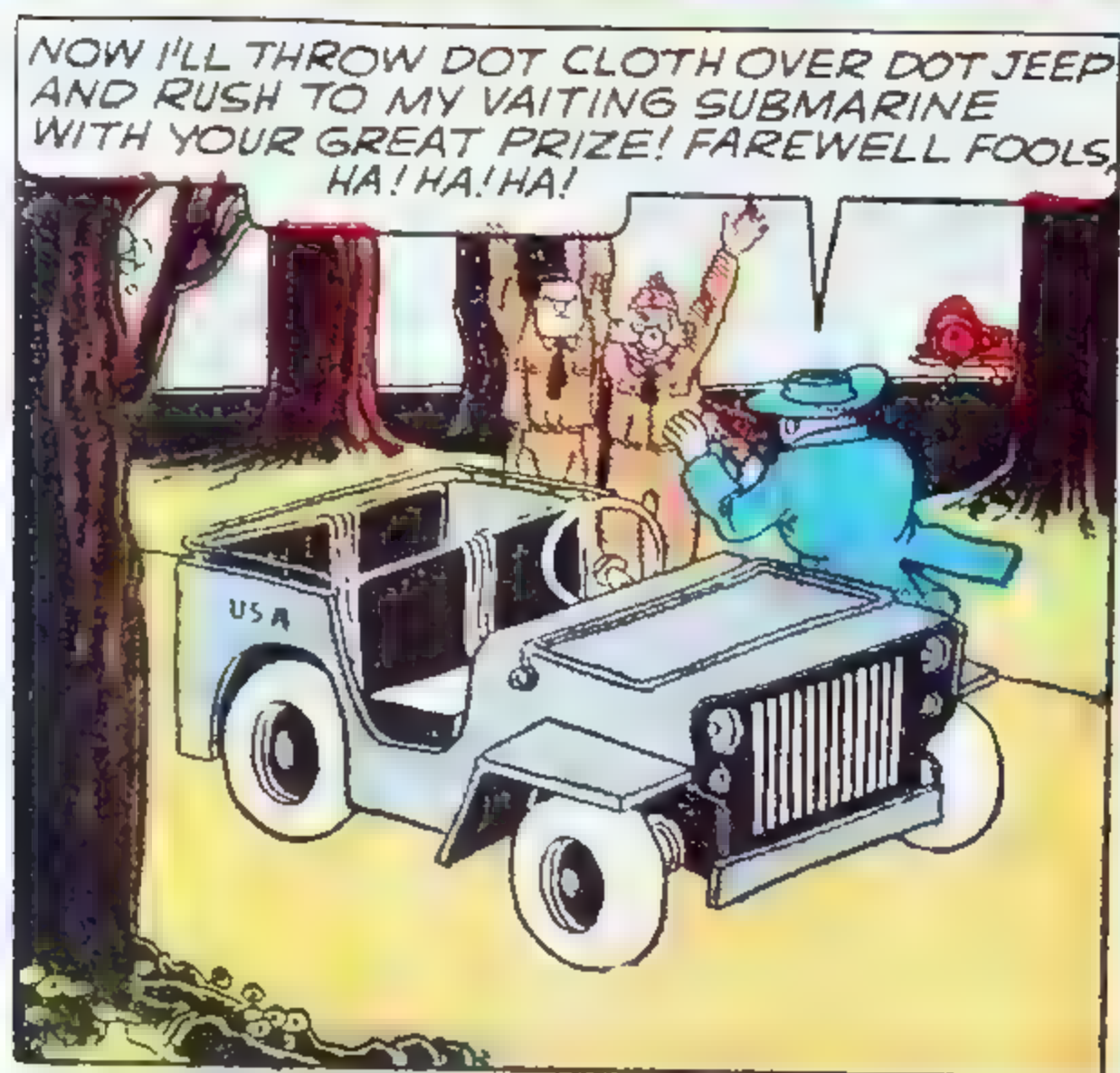
ALL RIGHT!
HERE IT IS!

VAIT A MINUTE! I
DON'T SEE A THING!
I DON'T FEEL
ANYTHING EITHER!

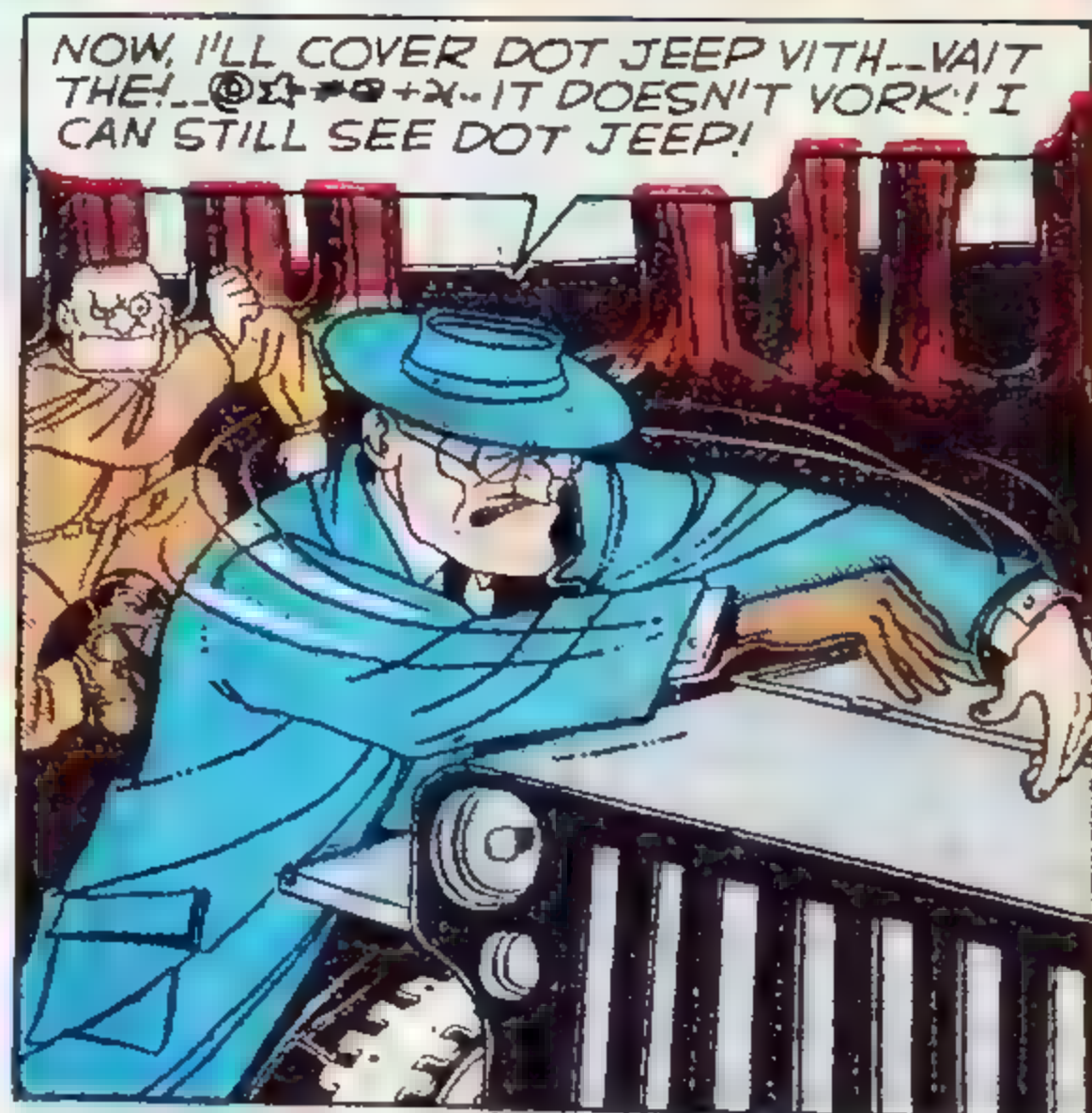


OF COURSE YOU DON'T SEE ANYTHING, IT'S
INVISIBLE AND CAN'T BE FELT EITHER!

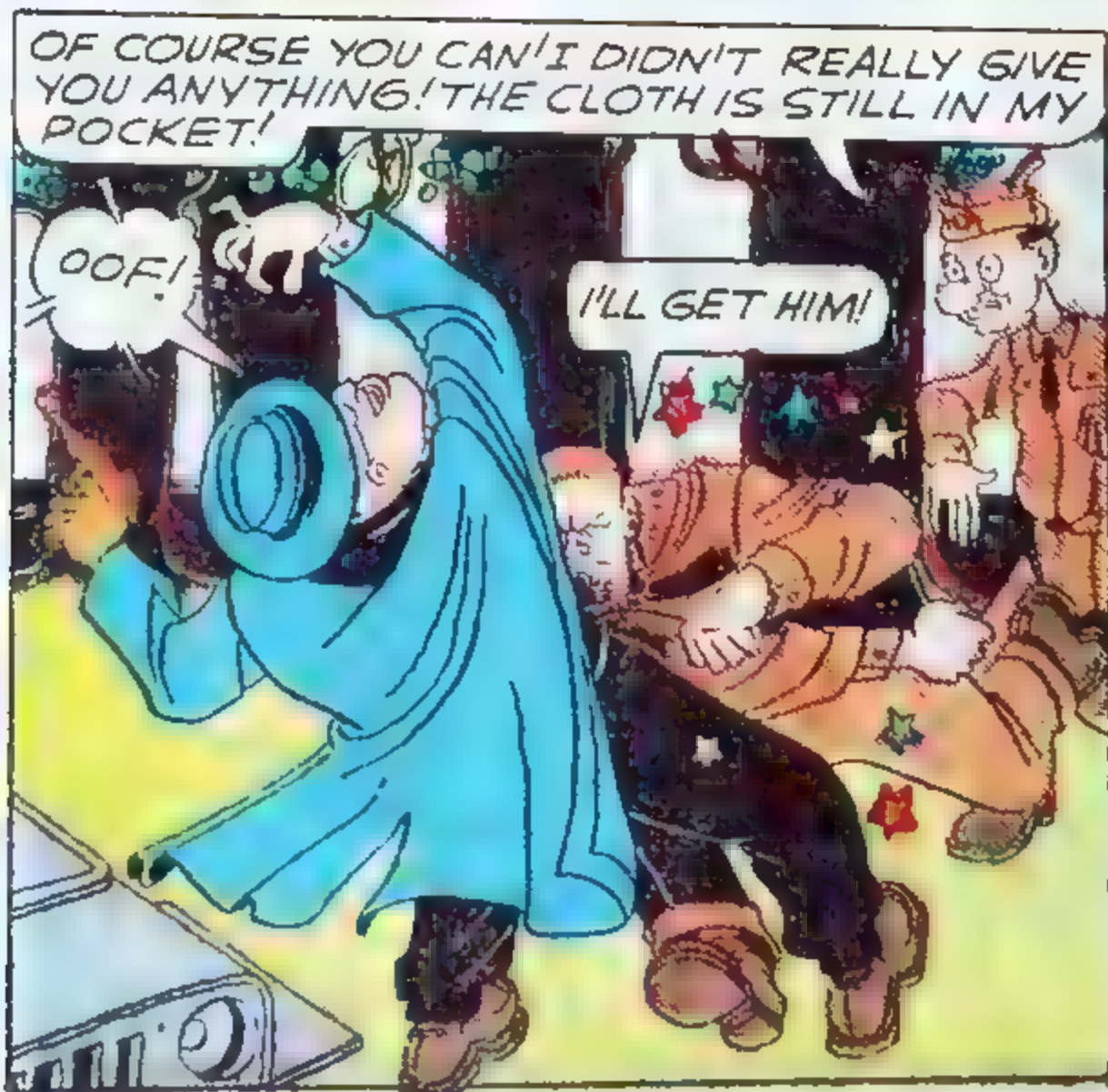
OH!



NOW I'LL THROW DOT CLOTH OVER DOT JEEP
AND RUSH TO MY WAITING SUBMARINE
WITH YOUR GREAT PRIZE! FAREWELL FOOLS,
HA! HA! HA!



NOW, I'LL COVER DOT JEEP VITH--VAIT
THE!...@☆*~+~X-IT DOESN'T YORR! I
CAN STILL SEE DOT JEEP!



OF COURSE YOU CAN! I DIDN'T REALLY GIVE
YOU ANYTHING! THE CLOTH IS STILL IN MY
POCKET!

OOF!

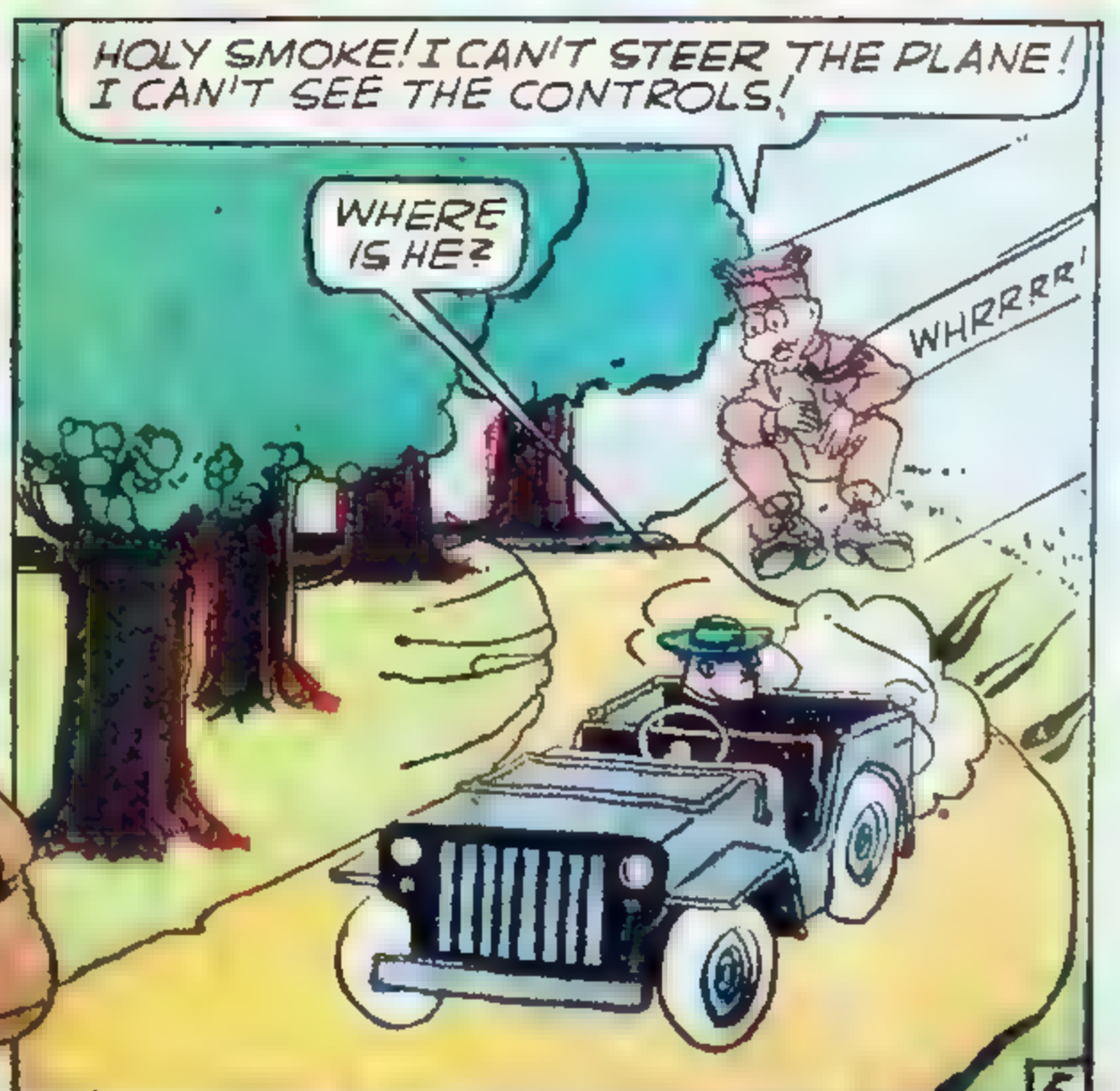
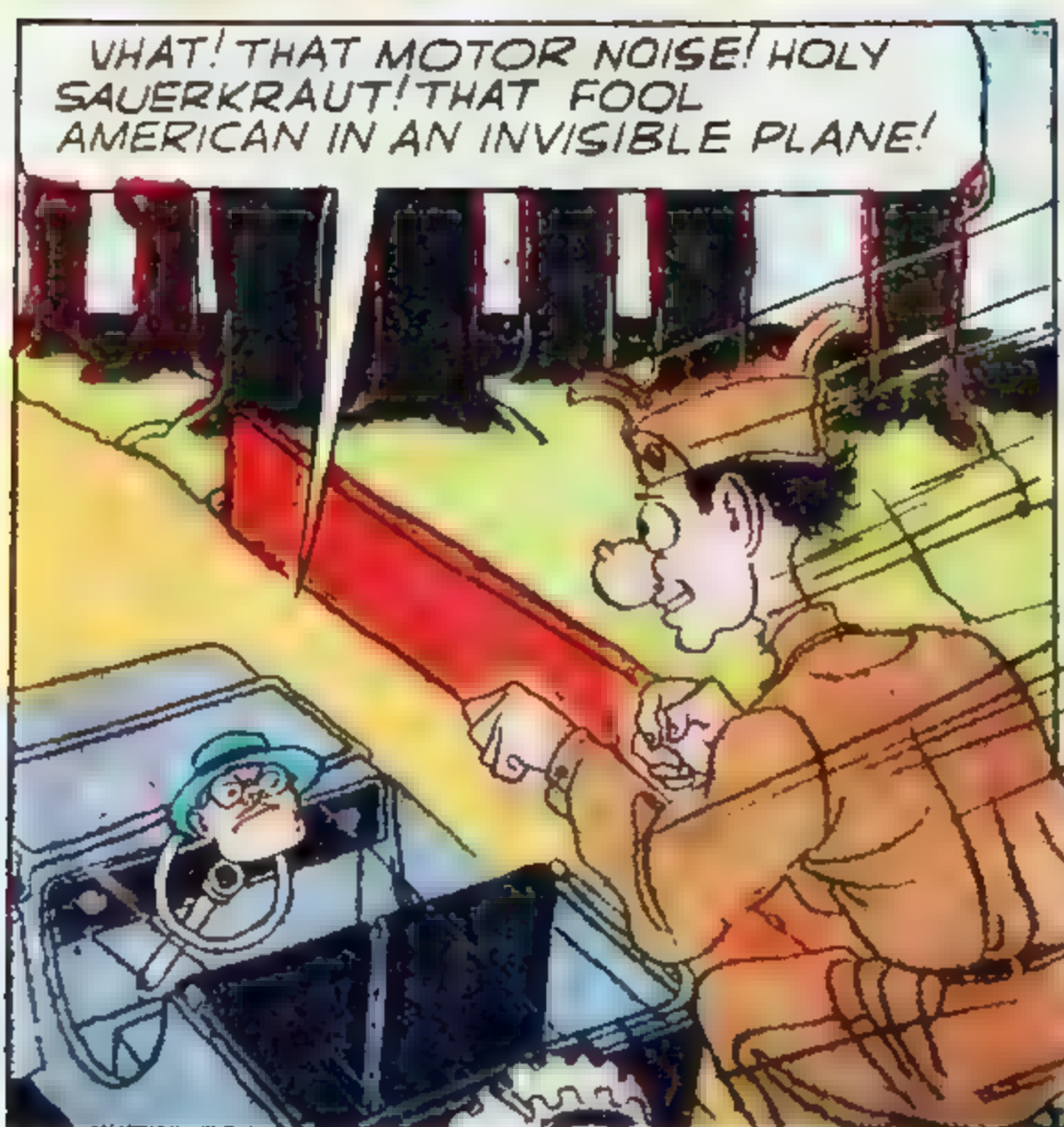
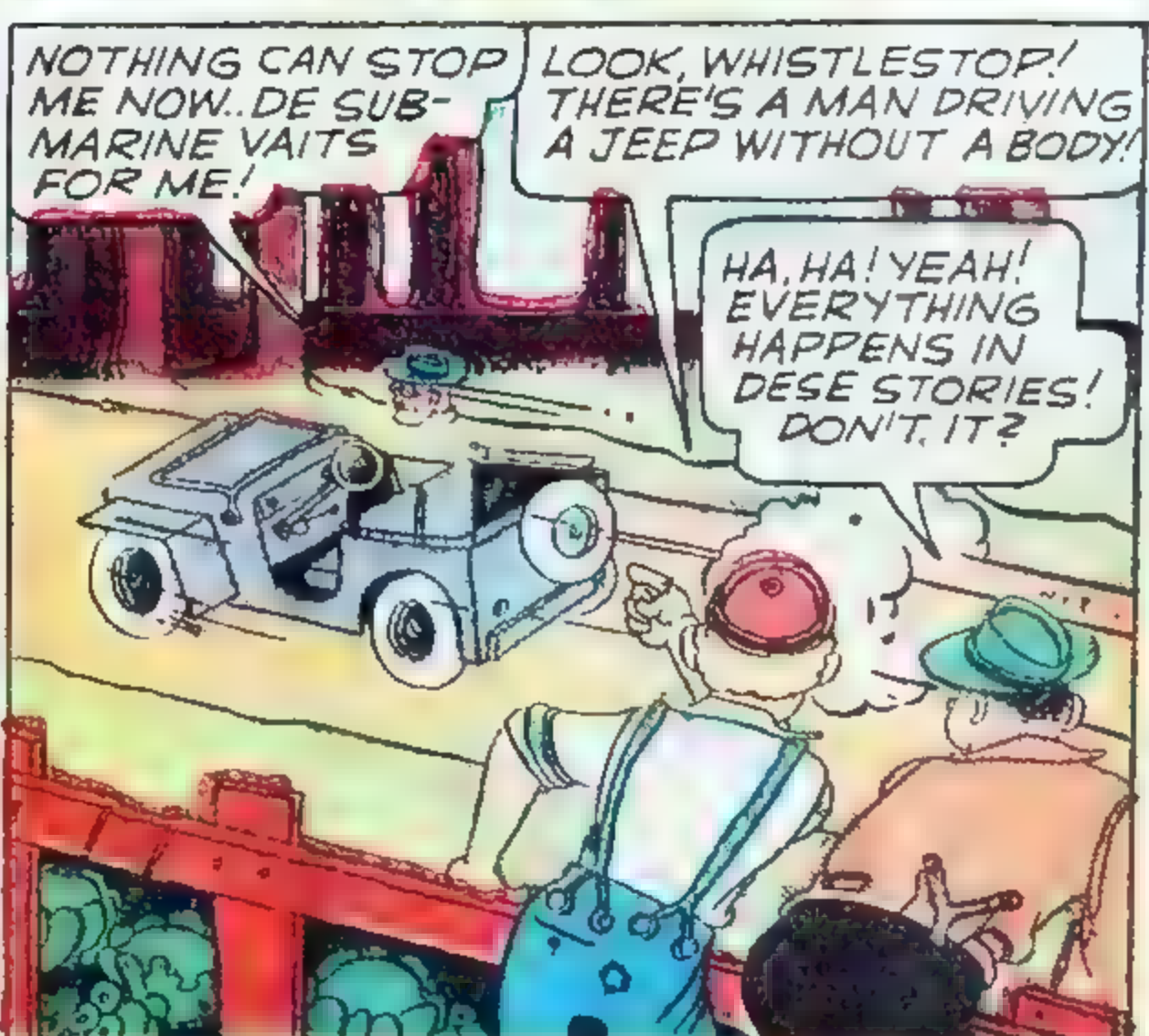
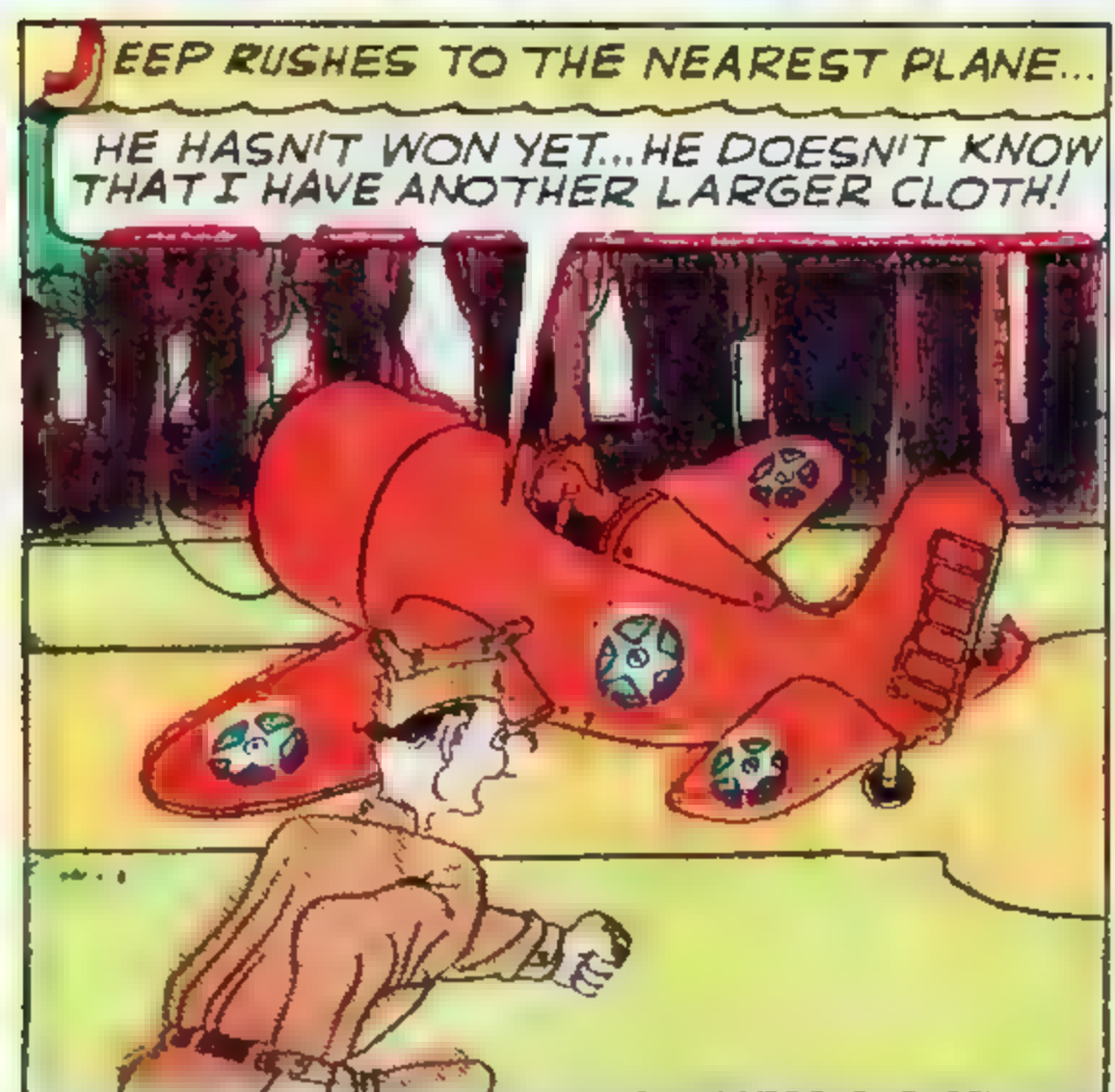
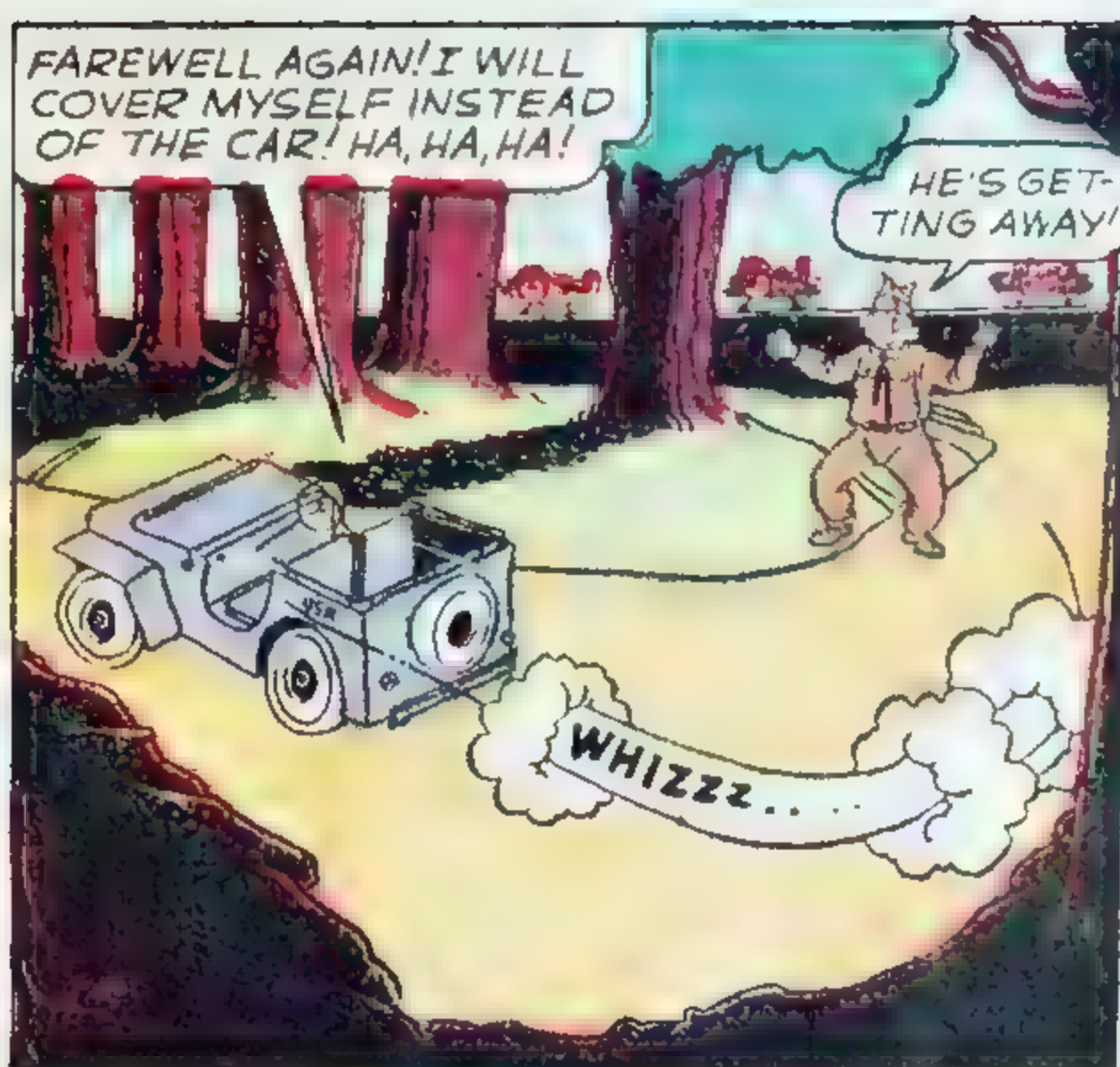
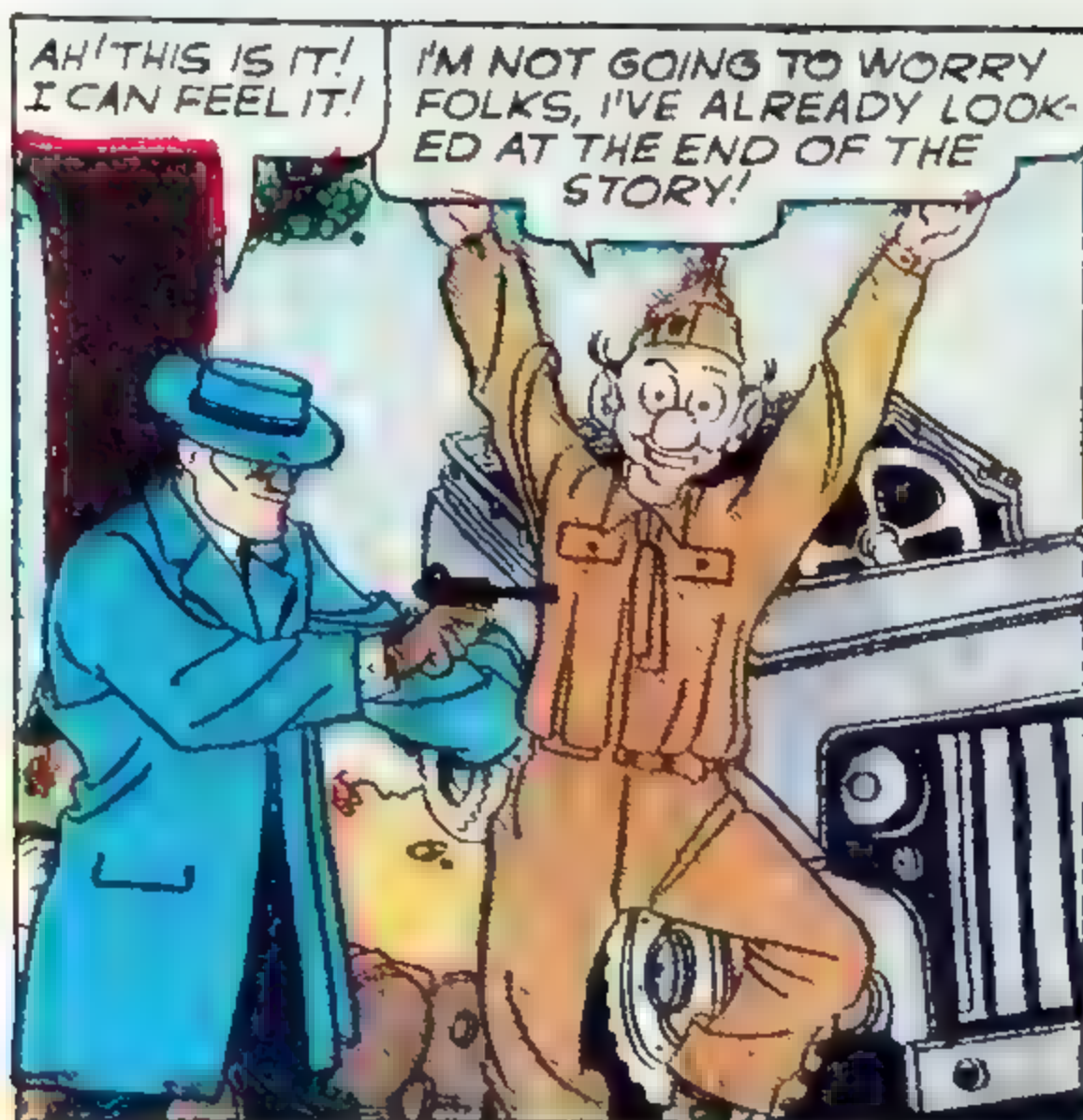
I'LL GET HIM!

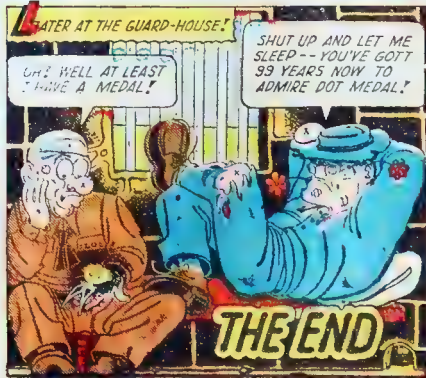
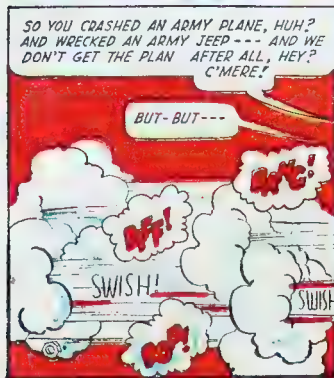
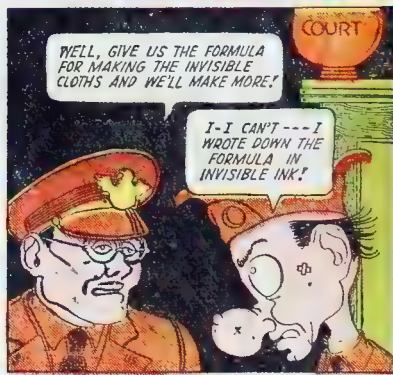
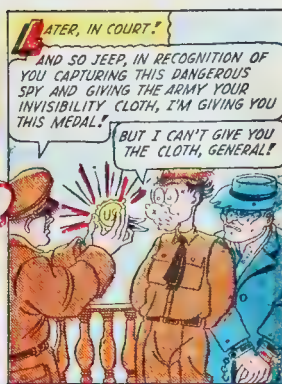
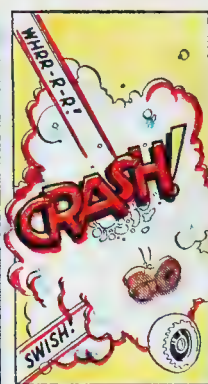
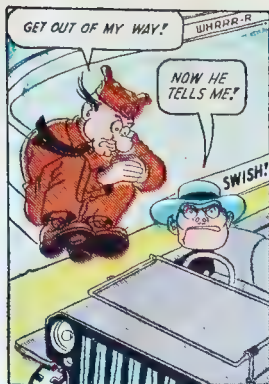


FOOL! NOW I VILL GET THE INVISIBLE
CLOTH!
TAKE
DOT!

OH MY GOODNESS!
YOU KNOCKED OUT
THE SERGEANT!

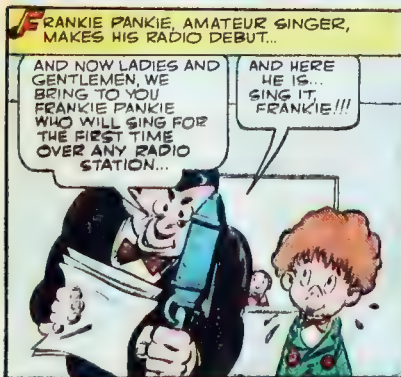
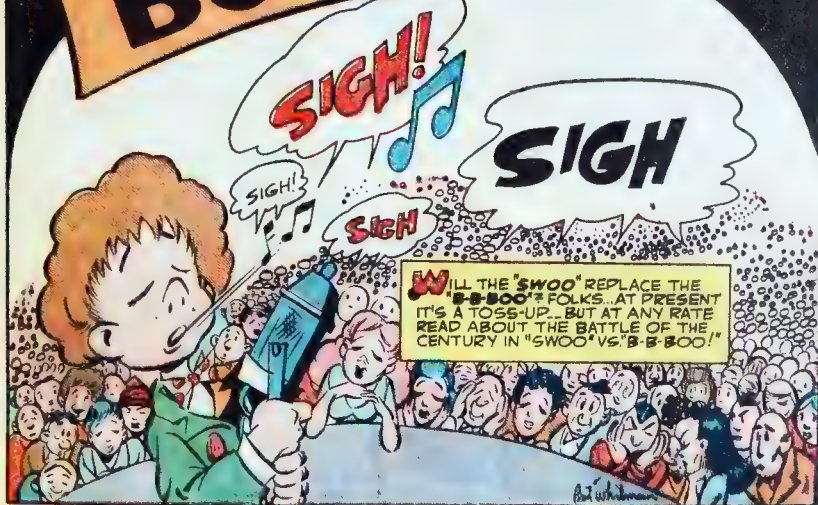
CRACK!





SWOO VERSUS BOO

"THE BATTLE OF THE CENTURY"



AT THE SOUND OF HIS VOICE A STRANGE EFFECT COMES OVER THE LISTENING PUBLIC...

AND THAT'S THE PLACE FOR ME...
THE SWOO-SWOO.
SWOONY RIVER

SIGH!
SIGH!

OH, ISN'T HE WONDERFUL!

SIGH!

FRANKIE GOES FROM SUCCESS TO ANOTHER AND ANOTHER... THE EFFECT ON THE PUBLIC IS ALWAYS THE SAME!

SIGH! SIGH!
AH! AH!

LET US SHIFT OUR SCENE, DEAR READERS, TO THE APARTMENT OF BING BANG, SINGING STAR WHO HAS HELD THE SPOTLIGHT FOR YEARS AS THE COUNTRY'S NO. 1 STAR!

CURSES! THAT LITTLE UPSTART OF A SWOON SINGER IS TRYING TO DE-THROW ME... HIS... "SWOO"... WILL REPLACE MY... "B-B-SOO!"

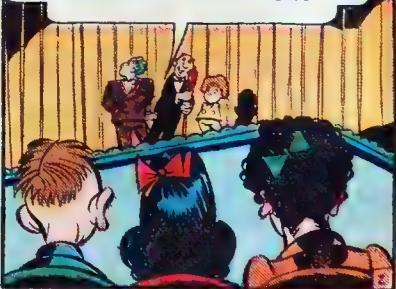
I HAVE IT! I'LL CHALLENGE HIM TO A CONTEST AND WE'LL SETTLE IT... ONCE AND FOR ALL!

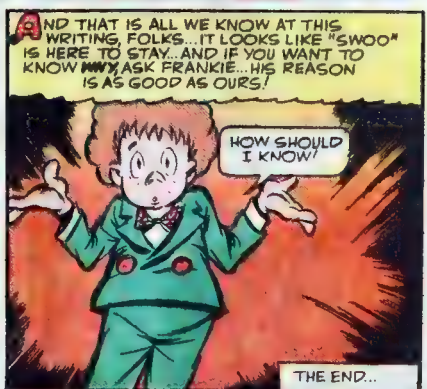
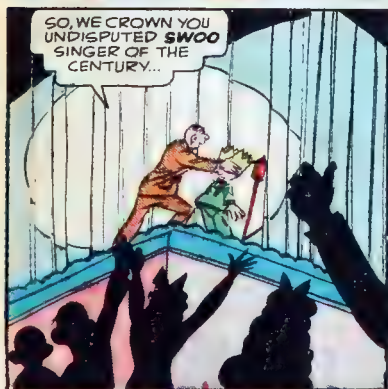
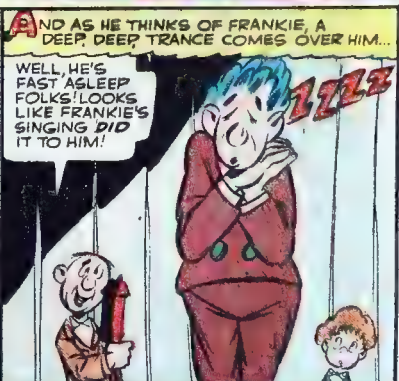
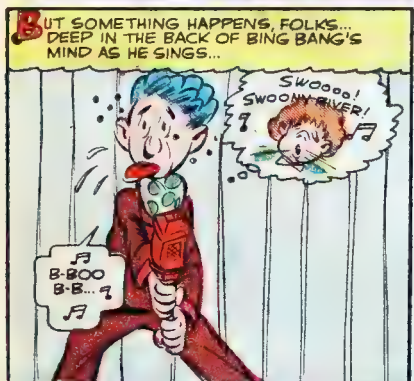
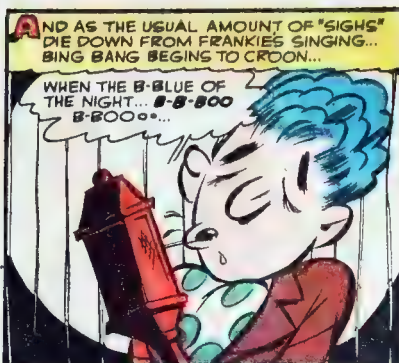
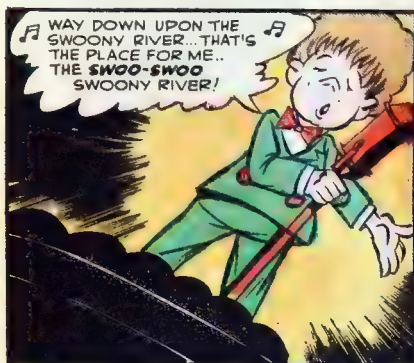


A FEW DAYS LATER...

AND ONCE AGAIN LADIES AND GENTLEMEN OF THE RADIO AUDIENCE WE BRING YOU A NOVEL CONTEST....

...BING BANG, POPULAR SINGING STAR HAS CHALLENGED FRANKIE PANKIE, SENSATIONAL SWOON SINGER TO A CONTEST OF **SWOO VS. B-B-SOO!** ...IT WILL START WITH FRANKIE SINGING HIS POPULAR THEME SONG!

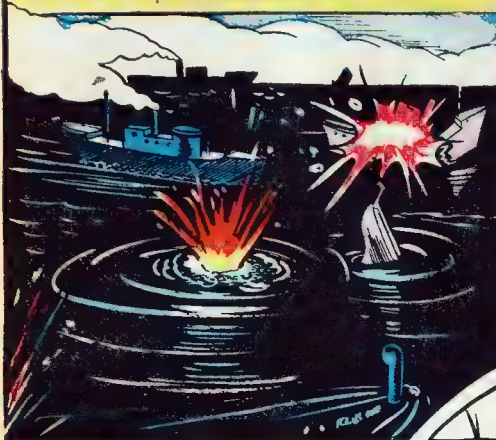




SUB- MARINER



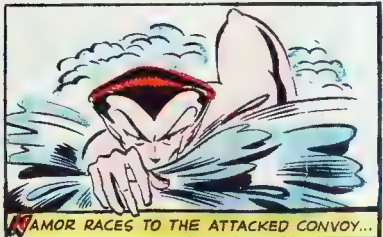
SOMEWHERE IN THE ATLANTIC, AN ALLIED PATROL ZIG ZAGS DESPERATELY UNDER TREACHEROUS NAZI ATTACK.....



GREAT SCOTT!
I-I DON'T BELIEVE IT!
CALL SUB-MARINER
AT ONCE!



A SIGNAL OF DISTRESS FLASHES THROUGH THE WATER!

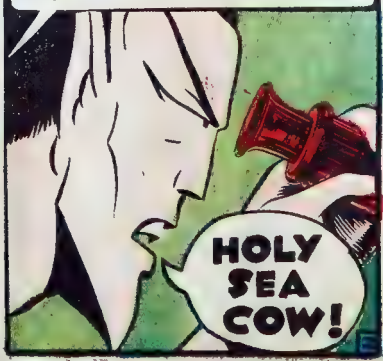


PRESENTLY ABOARD THE FLAGSHIP OF THE NAVAL PATROL....

WE'RE IN THE 500 MILE WIDE STRIP OF WATER BETWEEN ENGLAND AND THE U.S. THAT WE CAN'T PATROL! U-BOATS WERE USED TO HUNT IN PACKS BEFORE WE DROVE THEM OFF....



...SO, TAKE A LOOK THRU THE TELESCOPE!

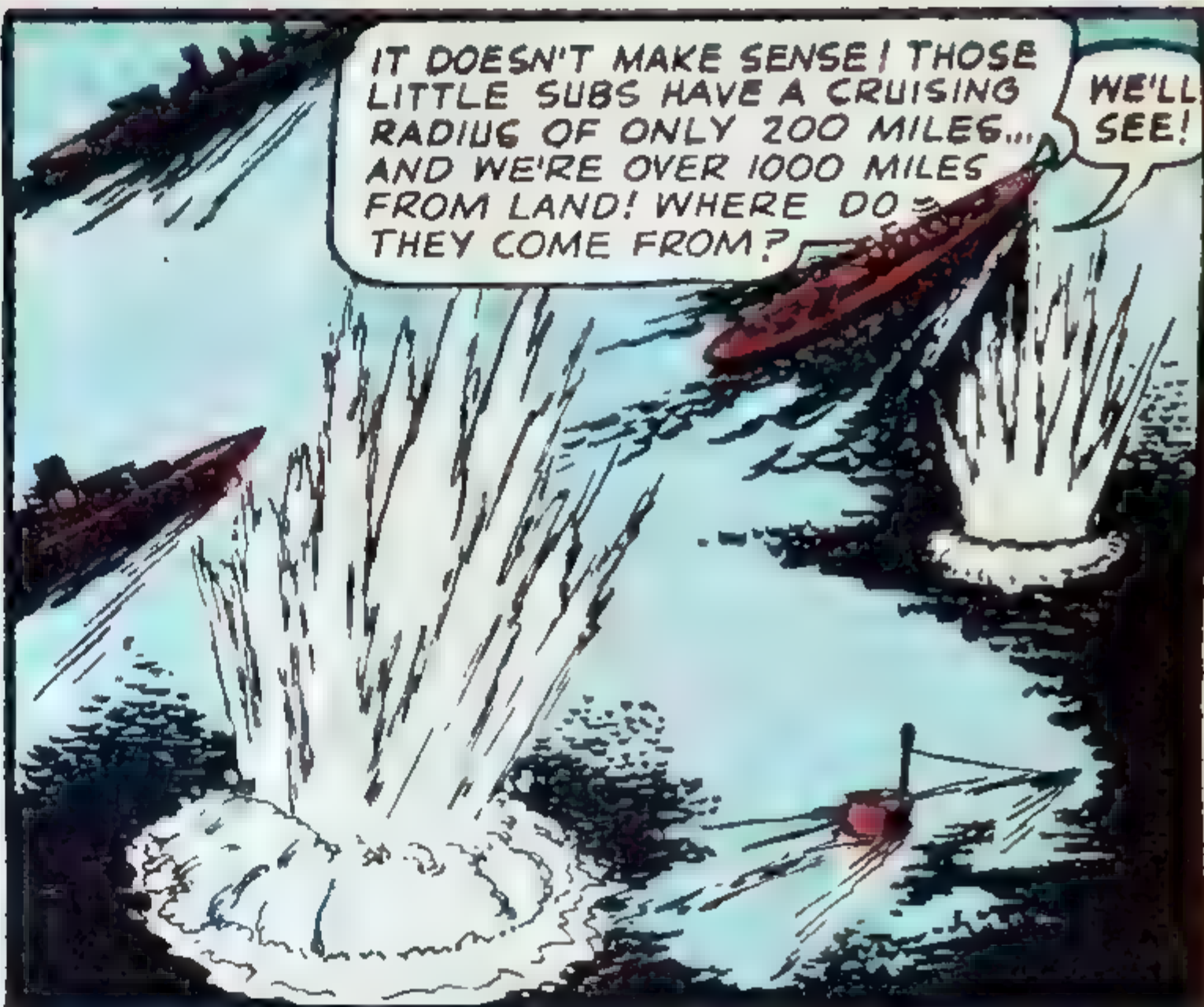


A TWO-MAN SUBMARINE
..... WAY OUT HERE!

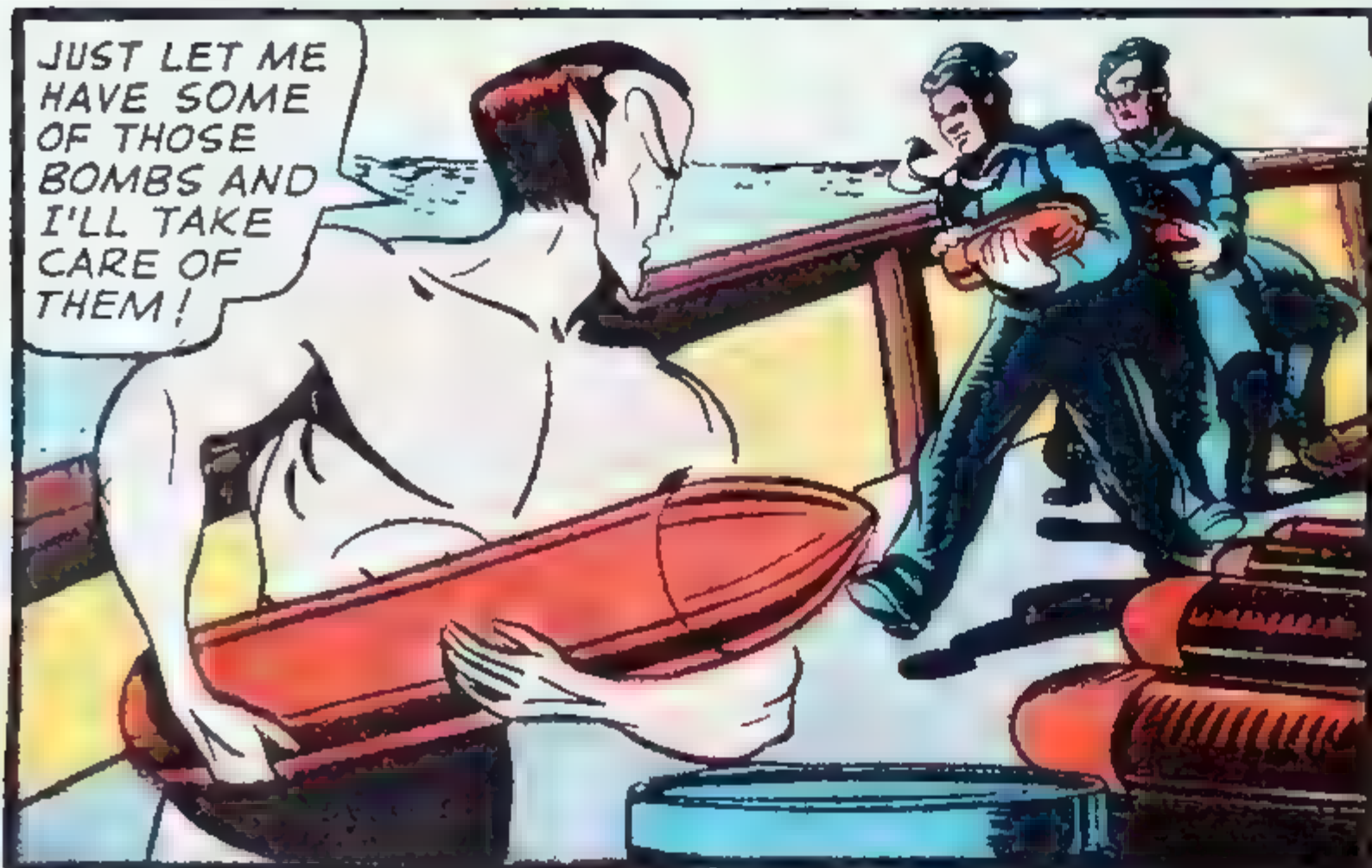


IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE! THOSE
LITTLE SUBS HAVE A CRUISING
RADIUS OF ONLY 200 MILES...
AND WE'RE OVER 1000 MILES
FROM LAND! WHERE DO
THEY COME FROM?

WE'LL
SEE!



JUST LET ME
HAVE SOME
OF THOSE
BOMBS AND
I'LL TAKE
CARE OF
THEM!

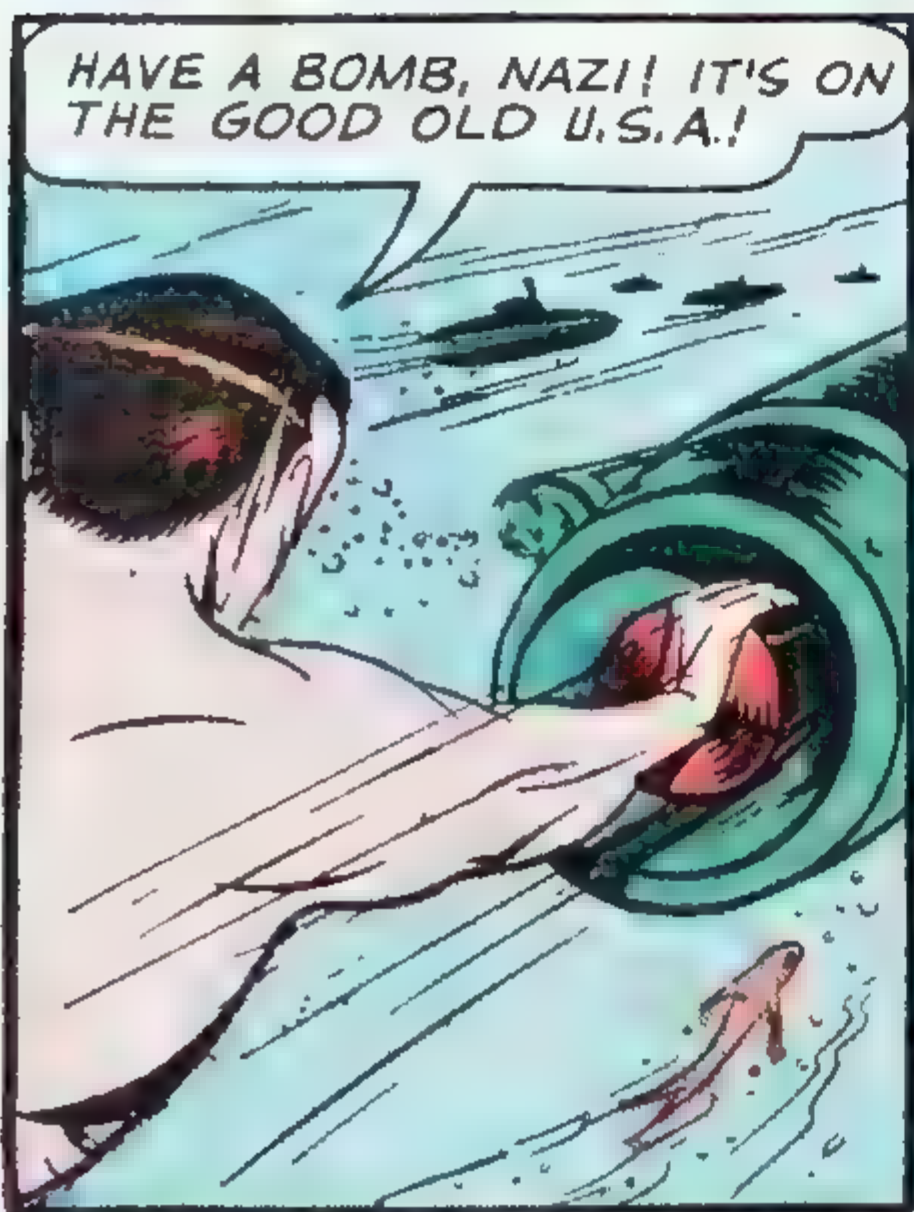


A MOMENT LATER, DES-
TRUCTION SPEEDS TOWARD
THE TINY MYSTERY CRAFT!

CLACKING CLAMS,
THIS IS THE KIND
OF JOB I ENJOY!



HAVE A BOMB, NAZI! IT'S ON
THE GOOD OLD U.S.A.!



INSIDE THE NAZI
SUB...

ULP! VOT
IS DIS?

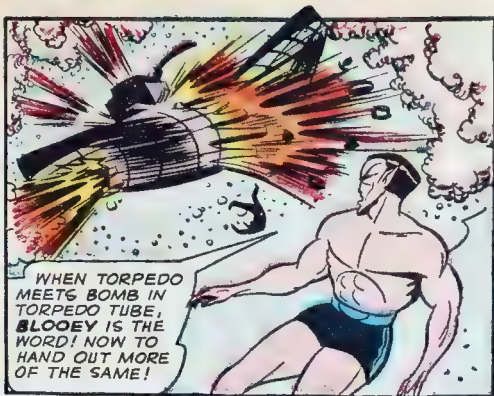


ACH, DU
HITLER!
SUB-MARINER!

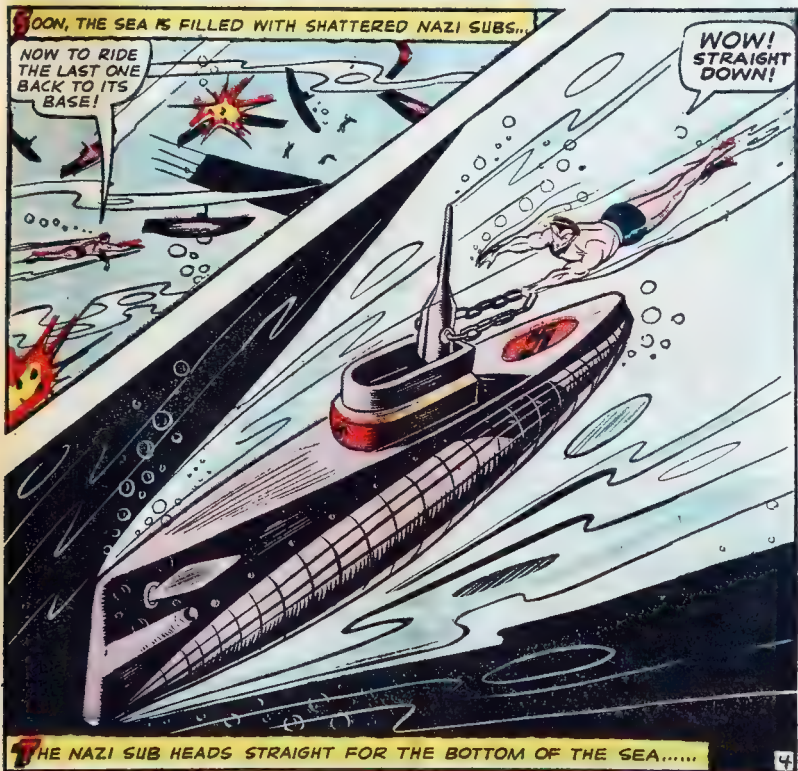




FIRE! BLOW HIM OUT OF DER VATER!



WHEN TORPEDO MEETS BOMB IN TORPEDO TUBE, BLOOEY IS THE WORD! NOW TO HAND OUT MORE OF THE SAME!

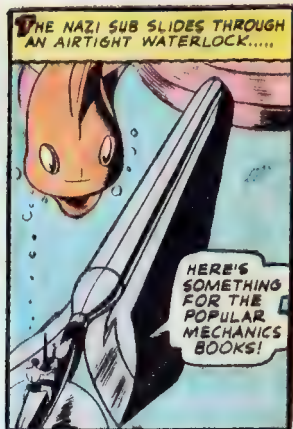
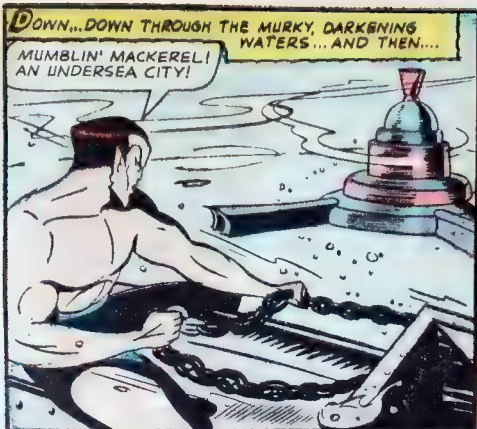


SOON, THE SEA IS FILLED WITH SHATTERED NAZI SUBS...

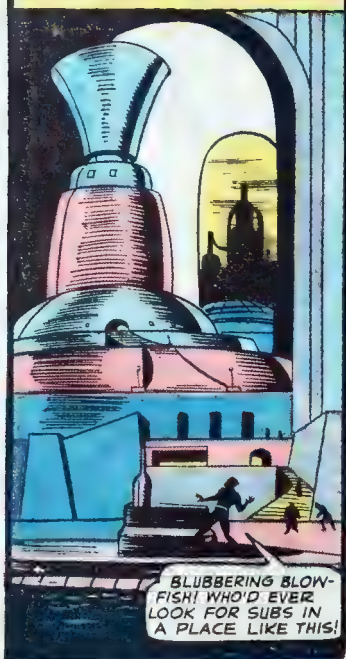
NOW TO RIDE THE LAST ONE BACK TO ITS BASE!

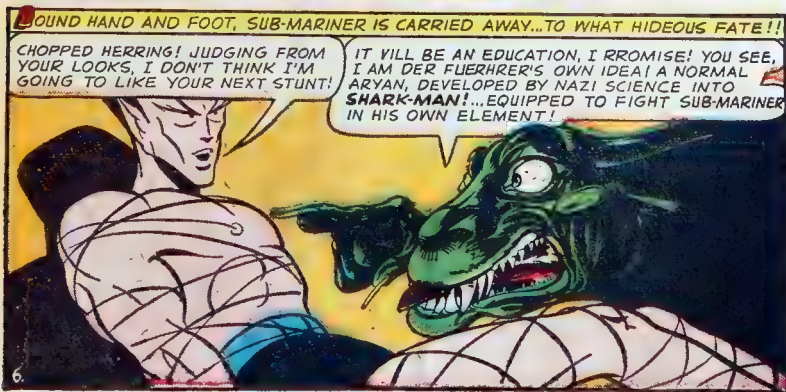
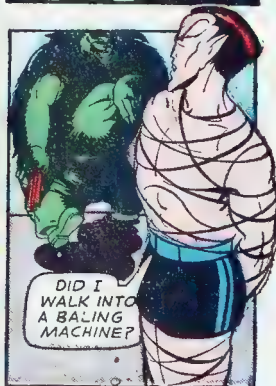
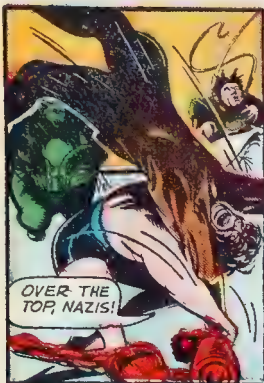
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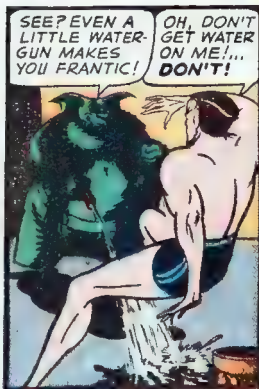
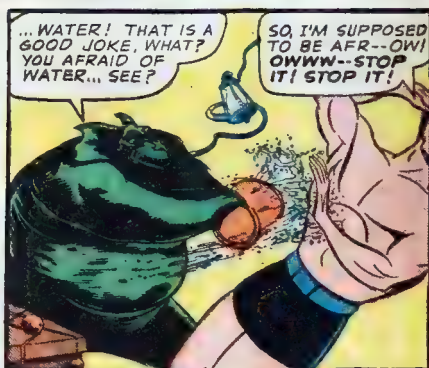
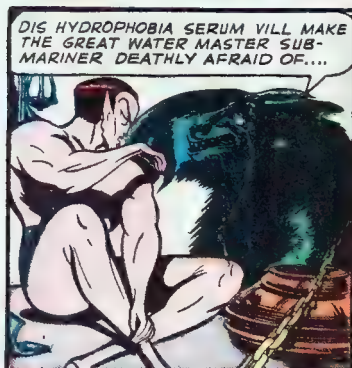
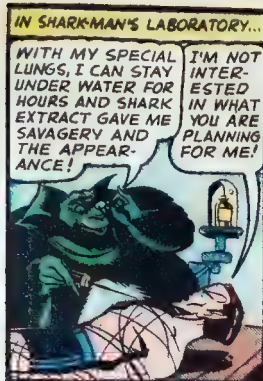
THE NAZI SUB HEADS STRAIGHT FOR THE BOTTOM OF THE SEA.....



**AND COMES TO REST AT THE PIER
OF A FUTURISTIC CITY HUNDREDS
OF FEET BELOW THE SEA'S SURFACE!**

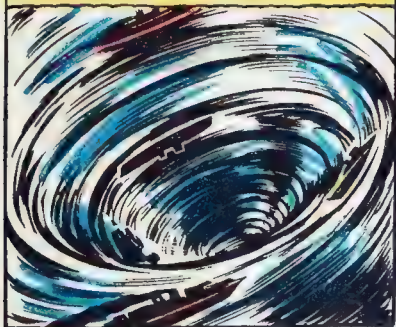








"UND DER ARTIFICIAL WHIRLPOOL, MORE POWERFUL DAN ANY REAL VUN, PULLS DER SHIPS DOWN... DOWN... DOWN....."



"... ALL DER CREWS VILL BE DROWNED, MIDOUDT A CHANCE TO TAKE DER LIFE-BOATS, UND DER CARGO VILL BE SAVAGED BY US TO USE AGAINST DER VER-DAMMTE DEMOCRACIES!"



AT BAYONET-POINT, SUB-MARINER IS FORCED INTO A WATER LOCK AT THE CITY'S RIM... AND THEN A COURIER ARRIVES...

AN ALLIED CONVOY VILL BE DIRECTLY OVER-HEAD IN FIFTEEN MINUTES!

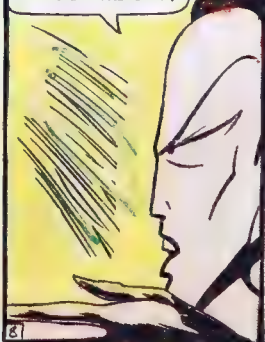


AS SOON AS I LOCK UP SUB-MARINER, I'LL START THE MACHINE

NOW I TURN ON DER WATER UND SUB-MARINER'S HYDROPHOBIA WILL KILL HIM FROM FEAR!



YI-I! WATER! STOP IT! LET ME OUT!



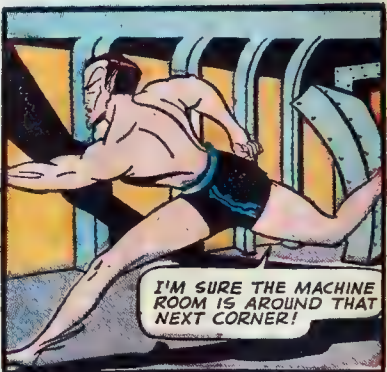
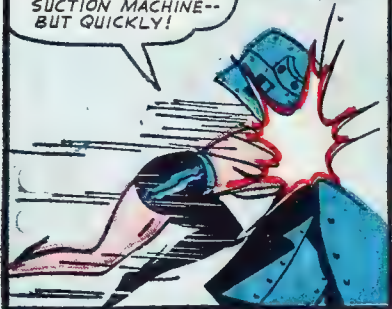
SOON COMES DER END OF SUB-MARINER!
TOO BAD I CANNOT STAY UND SEE IT,
BUT, I MUST TAKE CARE OF DOT
CONVOY!



AHH--HE'S LEAVING NOW SO I CAN
STOP MY HYDROPHOBIA ACT AND GET
OUT OF HERE--BUT, HOW P... MAYBE I
CAN CRASH THE DOOR DOWN!



WHAMMIE -- IT'S BREAKING DOWN!
BUT I HAVEN'T A MOMENT TO LOSE!
I MUST STOP THAT
SUCTION MACHINE--
BUT QUICKLY!

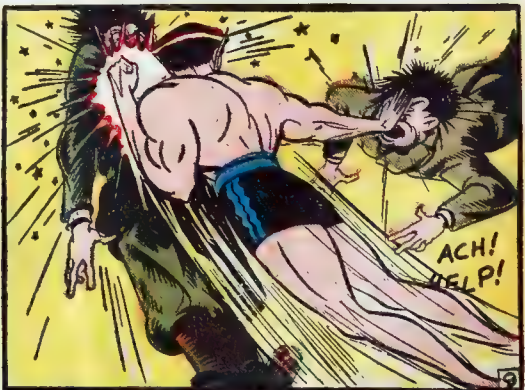


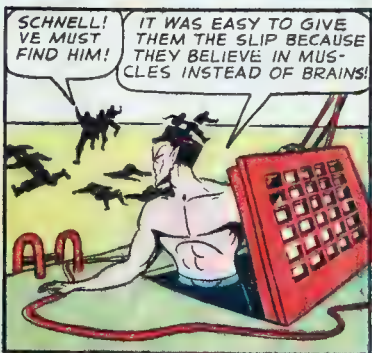
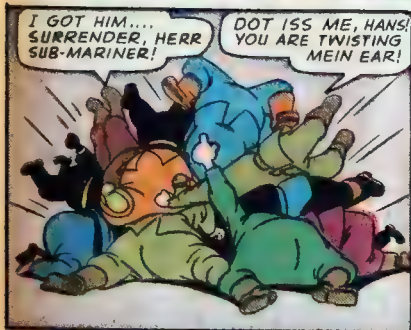
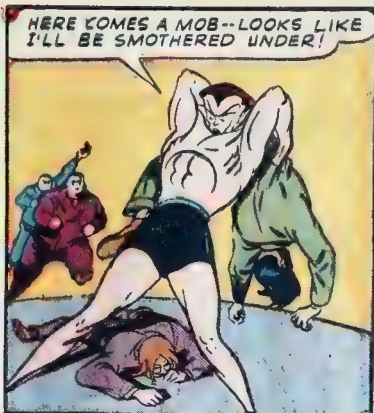
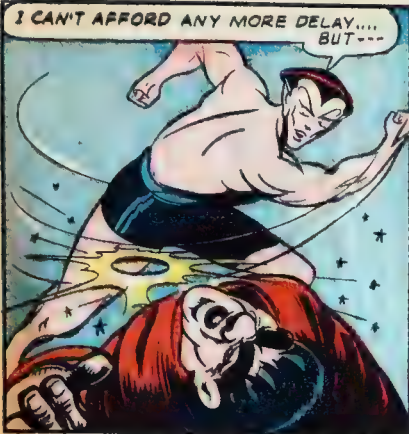
I'M SURE THE MACHINE
ROOM IS AROUND THAT
NEXT CORNER!

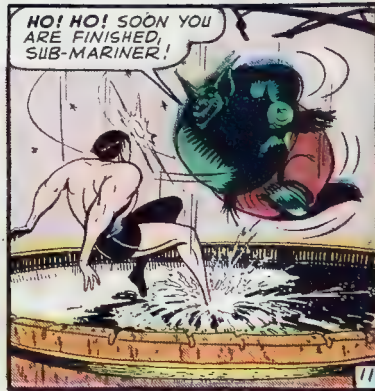
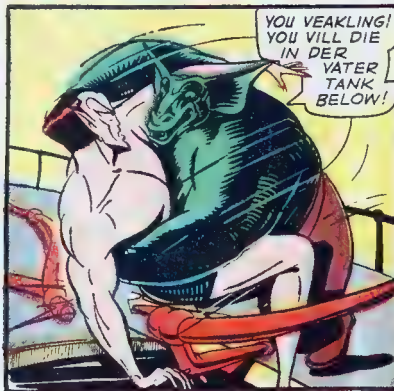
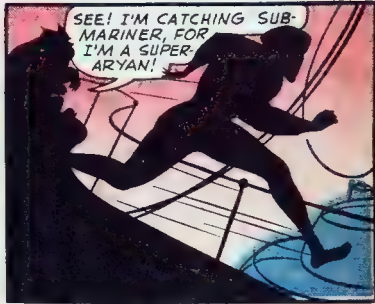
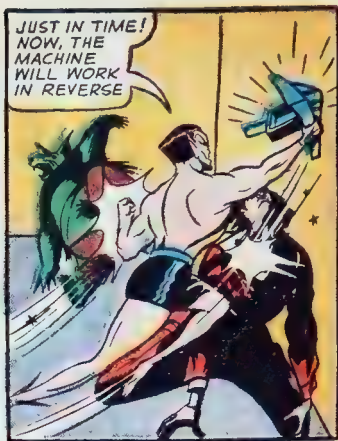
SUDDENLY....

ACH--IT'S DOT
SUB-MARINER!
HE ISS LOOSE!
GRAB HIM!

LOOK
OUT,
NAZIS!
HERE I
COME!



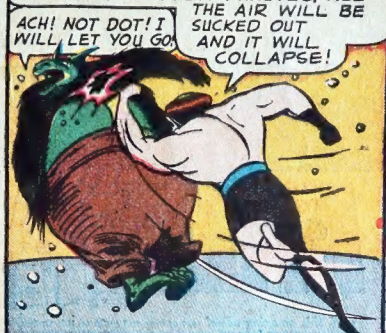




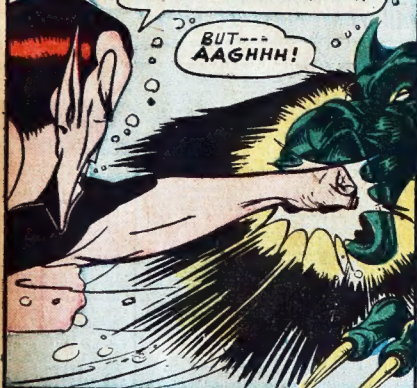
... **SHARK-MAN IS IN FOR A SURPRISE.....**



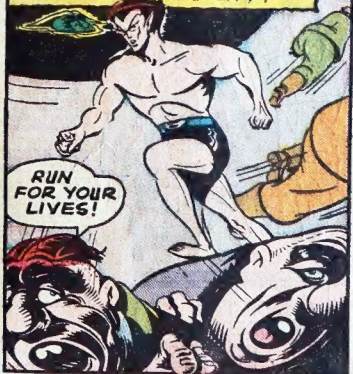
ALSO, I PUT YOUR SUCTION MACHINE-IN REVERSE! IN A FEW MINUTES, ALL



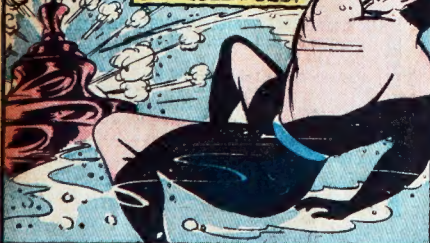
YOU'RE LETTING ME GO, ANYWAY! I HAVE SO MUCH TIME TO FOOL AROUND....SO LET'S GET IT OVERWITH!



SHARK-MAN, SUBDUED, AND THE OTHER NAZIS FLEEING IN PANIC, SUB-MARINER MAKES A HASTY EXIT FROM THE DOOMED CITY!



A MOMENT AFTER SUB-MARINER ESCAPES, THE ENTIRE UNDER-CITY COLLAPSES!



LATER... THERE GOES THE LIFE-LINE OF THE WAR! MAY THEY ALWAYS GET THROUGH! BUT I'D FEEL ALOT BETTER IF I KNEW THAT SHARK-MAN DIED WITH THE REST OF THE RATZIS!



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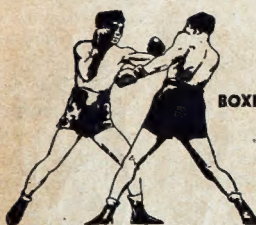
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